WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity, and Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; cloudy and mild, with occasional rain.

Juan de Fuca to Estevan—Moderate to fresh easterly and southerly winds; unsettled and mild, with rain.

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UNIFIED OWNERSHIP IS SUGGESTION FOR RAILWAY SOLUTION

Former Minister of National Revenue Explains Plan to Put Two Transcontinental Systems Under Control of Holding Company While Maintaining Separate Corporate Entities

CHATHAM, Ont., Dec. 10 (C).—Unified ownership of Canada's two transcontinental railways by a holding company capitalized at $2,000,000,000 was advocated, tonight, by Hon. William D. Euler, former Liberal minister of national revenue, in a speech, tonight, before the Chatham Canadian Club.

Mr. Euler, who is perhaps the leading spokesman for public ownership opinion in the House of Commons, prefaced details of his plan with the assertion he was neither speaking as a member of any political party nor was he "flying a kite" for any particular interest. Merely as a Canadian citizen, he suggested the following plan as a solution of the national railway problem:

SUGGESTED PLAN

(1) Formation of a holding company to be known as Canadian Railways, Ltd., with a capitalization of, say, $1,600,000,000 of 5 per cent debentures and $400,000,000 common stock.

(2) Maintenance of their separate corporate entities by the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways.

(3) Each road to retain its present liabilities, but to transfer its assets to the holding company, each receiving in return $800,000,000 worth of the 5 per cent debentures and $200,000,000 worth of common stock.

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SILVER DOLLAR TO BE MINTED

New Canadian Coin Will Be Issued to Commemorate Silver Jubilee

Ottawa, Dec. 10 (CP).—Canada's first silver dollar will be minted and circulated as a commemorative token of the twenty-fifth anniversary of King George's accession to the throne on May 6, 1935. It will be called the "George dollar" and will bear a likeness to His Majesty.

No official announcement has yet been made with respect to the new coin, but it is known the design has been approved and an order for the dies sent to England, it being impossible to manufacture them here. The minting will be done in Ottawa.

AUTHORIZED BY ACT

For about eighteen years there has been authority in the Currency Act for the minting of a Canadian silver dollar, but none has ever been placed in circulation. The extent of its popularity will determine the amount of currency to be issued in this form, but it is understood the first minting will run to at least 100,000.

Only slightly larger in circumference than the fifty-cent piece, the new coin will be thicker, and, in the opinion of the experts who designed it, fully as acceptable from the point of view of convenience of handling, as the smaller coin.

The "George dollar" will be circulated during the silver jubilee proceedings in London.

Lighting Fires to Warm Up Rangoon

RANGOON, Burma, Dec. 10 (CP).—Fires were lighted in the streets today to warm the poor of the city, which has experienced the coldest weather on record. The temperature seldom rose above 59 degrees during the week. Rangoon usually enjoys tropical temperatures.

GIVE A JOB

NOTICEABLE stimulation of small building permits in Victoria and vicinity has followed origination of the annual "Give a Job" drive by the Victoria branch of the Employment Service of Canada. Roofs, fences and dwellings under repair, construction of private garages, and many incidental projects have been undertaken, as citizens followed the most practical means of creating work at Christmas time. Officials of the bureau expressed warm thanks yesterday to those who have already responded to the appeal. Whether work is given through the bureau, or by direct contact with the unemployed, every dollar thus expended helps toward a worthwhile result. For those who can make work for a reliable man or woman, the bureau's telephones are Garden 2811 and Empire 1931.

TWO SHIPS IN DISTRESS

Two Lives Lost on Japanese Freighter—Canadian Boat Without Fuel

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—With her captain and chief officer dead, the third officer lost and seven of the crew injured, the Japanese freighter Victoria Maru, today rode out an Atlantic gale, 500 miles north of the Azores, and tonight was limping toward the English Channel, under escort of Dutch tanker Amsteam.

Yesterday the Victoria Maru sent out distress calls saying the bridge had been carried away and the ship badly battered otherwise by the storm. Two ships rushed to her assistance and stood by under the Victoria Maru was able to retrace her course when the weather moderated.

A Japanese freighter, bound out of Hamburg for New York with a crew of thirty-six Japanese, is on the great circle route used regularly by Trans-Atlantic shipping.

WITHOUT FOOD OR FUEL

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—Drifting without food or fuel about 100 miles out on the storm-tossed Atlantic, the Canadian steamer M. Kenney continued tonight to defy coast guard offers to take other captain and crew.

The reason, coast guard officials said was that the vessel was a suspected rum runner.

A coast guard cutter stood by, ready to take off the Mary Kenney crew but refused to tow her to port.

FIREMEN INJURED BY FIERCE BLAZE

One Killed and Twelve Hurt When Walls of Baltimore Factory Collapse

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 10 (AP).—One fireman was killed, another injured near death and eleven were injured beneath falling walls in a five-alarm fire here, tonight.

Caught beneath the brick and debris as three walls of the Atlantic Refining Company factory crumbled, the injured were extricated with difficulty and rushed to hospitals.

Rags and wool waste kindled the fire in the four-story structure, which was demolished. An estimate of the damage was not available.

Taxation Change Is Imperative to City Mayor Leeming Says

Gives Account of Stewardship and Presents Financial Position of City to Taxpayers at Public Meeting—William H. Sargent, Candidate for Mayoralty, Outlines Policies

"MUNICIPALITIES cannot remain solvent unless those problems, which decrease our revenues and increase the burden of costs, are adjusted between the municipalities and governments. Those differences which have occurred from time to time are only indications that we are fighting for what we think is just and right," declared Mayor David Leeming at the opening meeting of the civic election campaign in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, last night.

The Mayor was referring to decreased Government grants and the ever-increasing social service problems which are wholly outside the control of civic administrations, but which, nevertheless, fall heavily upon the taxpayers and represent a considerable increase in the taxes.

William Henry Sargent, who is opposing the Mayor in the civic election, was afforded an opportunity of addressing the gathering, after retiring aldermen had first given accounts of their stewardship.

PRAISES ALDERMEN

In his address, Mayor Leeming was unselfish in his praise of the individual members of the 1934 council, and he gave a good part of his twenty-minute address to references of the activities of the aldermen and their committees. Harmony, he said, had prevailed when

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Autogyro Landing in Paris

The first airplane ever to land in Paris, a British-built Autogyro is shown here as it settled down in the Champs Elysees. The landing was made as a demonstration in connection with the aviation show held in the Grand Palais (background).

League Succeeds In Ending Threat Of War in Balkans

Jugoslavia and Hungary Accept British Proposal for Settlement of Dispute Arising From Assassination of King Alexander — Punitive Action to Be Taken Against Terrorists

GENEVA, Dec. 10 (AP).—War threats in Central Europe dissipated, tonight, when Jugoslavia and Hungary bowed to the League of Nations, whose council unanimously adopted a resolution "deploring" the assassination of King Alexander at Marseille. The action of the two opposing nations in accepting the resolution was viewed as a great league victory in the interests of peace.

Hungary, in diplomatic terms, is requested to take "punitive action against any authorities whose culpabilities have been established" and "communicate to the council the measures which it takes to this effect." This action was sought by Jugoslavia.

ANXIOUS AS TO OUTCOME

Until the very last, the diplomats' interest in the Jugoslav-Hungarian dispute was breathlessly maintained. The Hungarian Government got the final draft of the resolution for settlement of the issue, by telephone, late tonight. The council then suspended its session until Budapest deliberated.

Relief was expressed on all sides when the Hungarian representative received his urgent instructions:

"Vote for the resolution."

The diplomats said the resolution indicates a distinct triumph for conciliation in League counsels, and

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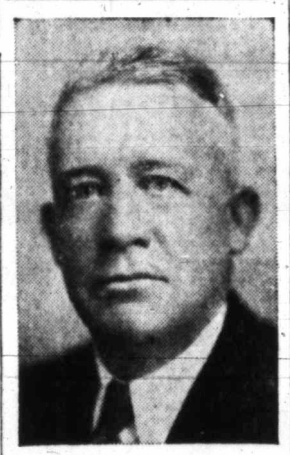
Local Secretary Is Made President



W. H. MEARNS

SECRETARY of the B.C. Agricultural Association, who, yesterday, was elected president of B.C. Fairs Association at its annual meeting in Vancouver. Dates for the Victoria fair were set at this meeting, the period being fixed for August 17 to 24, inclusive.

BRITONS GIVEN NOBEL AWARDS

Sir Norman Angell and Arthur Henderson Receive Prizes for Peace

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 10 (AP).—The world's most coveted prize for peace efforts was awarded to two Britons in Oslo, Norway, today, donated by a man who made his fortune in munitions manufacture.

The 1934 Nobel Peace Prize was awarded to Arthur Henderson, president of the World Disarmament Conference, in Oslo, where he will deliver, tomorrow, the official Nobel Prize lecture at Oslo University in acknowledgement of the award.

The deferred award of the 1933 Nobel Peace Prize was made to Sir Norman Angell, British author and lecturer. Sir Norman's writings have dealt extensively with anti-war propaganda.

The 1934 Nobel Peace Prize amounted to 162,607 Swedish krona (about $41,470), and the 1933 prize, 173,331 krona ($44,200).

Smash and Grab Thief Gets Gems

TORONTO, Dec. 10 (CP).—Diamonds and topazes valued at about $2,000 were taken by a thief, or thieves who smashed a show window in the shop of Birks-Ellis-Ryrie, Ltd., in the basement of the Royal York Hotel at midnight. A brick wrapped in green paper was found inside the broken window. Three years ago gems valued at $8,000 were taken in a similar theft.

Viceroy Initiates Jubilee Fund for Indian Charities

NEW DELHI, Dec. 10 (CP via Reuters).—The Earl of Willingdon, Viceroy of India, today initiated a fund to commemorate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the King's accession to the throne next year, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the Indian Red Cross Society and kindred organizations. General execution of the organization of the fund is entrusted to Lady Willingdon, as president of the fund.

PRISONERS IN OWN OFFICE

Government Relief Officers Held Captive by Unemployed at Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Dec. 10.—J. T. Carrigan, of the local Government employment office, and J. F. Edge-Partington, relief officer, are prisoners in their office tonight, with over one hundred men and women on guard to see that they don't leave.

The trouble started at 3:50 today when the relief men went for their cheques. They had declared that on and after December 1 they would not work for relief during the Winter months.

The Government officials had other instructions. They were told that to draw pay, all must work during the Winter months, providing it was not raining. No man was to be required to work on a rainy day, and, if there were too many rainy days in December for them to work their quota, it was not to be counted against them in the next month.

OFFERED CHEQUES

Today the officials offered to pay the men their relief cheques, less the amount coming to a "second adult," $5.25. The men refused to take this, and are, with many women, in possession of the front part of the office. There is no rear exit, and Carrigan and Edge-Partington at 10 p.m., supperless and weary, with a lone policeman as company, were holding down the rear offices, while the unemployed were scattered about the front of the premises, some lying on the floor, the counters littered and the floor space jammed with standers.

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DEATH BRINGS ONLY RELEASE

Further Collapse of Well's Sides Ends Suffering of Imprisoned Man

GREYSTONES, Irish Free State, Dec. 10 (AP).—The well, which has held Joseph O'Leary prisoner since Saturday, today became his tomb.

All hope of rescuing the plumber, whose fortitude inspired the admiration of the countryside, was abandoned when the side of the well collapsed further as diggers brought their tunnel into the shaft.

The rescuers themselves had to be dragged to safety. Troops, who were called to the scene, continued to dig for O'Leary's body.

GIVES ABSOLUTION

Shortly before the last cave-in, a priest was lowered into the well by ropes, giving the entombed man absolution, while the crowd gathered at the mouth of the well kneeled in prayer.

O'Leary had been working in the well, perched on a ladder, when the walls caved in on him. That was Saturday, at 8 p.m. The rungs of the ladder were broken, crushing his limbs, and only his head and neck were visible from above.

Rescuers, working from above, managed to free his arms and get food and stimulants down to him, but could not free his legs from the rungs of the broken ladder and the mass of rocks around them.

Schooner Is Badly Shaken By Tremors

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10 (AP).—The schooner Seth Parker, carrying a group of radio entertainers on a world tour, reported by wireless tonight from the South Pacific that "three severe earthquakes shook the ship badly," Radio Marine Corporation said.

The schooner gave her position as "in the vicinity of Marquesas Islands," and the time as midnight, G.M.T.

EXPENSIVE ADVERTISING

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (CP).—A fine of $75 and costs was imposed on the Pedemode Shoes, Ltd., today, in police court, on a charge of misleading advertising.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE IS PLANNED FOR NEXT SESSION

Prime Minister Bennett Says Legislation Will Be Introduced When House Meets — Will Widen Scope of Marketing Act and Implement Findings of Mass Buying Commission

Proud of Record Made by His Government While in Office

HALIFAX, Dec. 10 (CP).—Legislation providing for unemployment insurance would be introduced at the next session of Parliament, Right Hon. R. B. Bennett, Prime Minister of Canada, announced in the course of an address delivered before a public gathering here, tonight.

Fenced about with the highest tariff walls in the history of the Dominion, a legacy of the King Administration, Canada entered upon the lean years of a world-wide depression. Other legacies left by his predecessors in office included an adverse trade balance of $100,000,000 "increased debts and increasing unemployment."

NO FALTERING

Then Great Britain went off the gold standard, and still later an emergency arose in the West due to crop failures, requiring extraordinary measures of relief. His Administration had not faltered. The Ottawa trade agreements had been negotiated, to be followed by favorable trade agreements with the principal trading nations of the world; the unfavorable trade balance had been redressed, expenditures had been cut to the bone; export trade had been revived, and through it all "Canada met every obligation according to contract." This was a record of which he was proud, and of which he felt every Canadian could be proud.

When his party came into office in 1930, the Prime Minister asserted, the world was changing swiftly from the era of prosperity. "Undoubtedly," he said, "the world as we knew it, we will not know again."

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Paying Official Visit to Victoria

HON. GROTE STIRLING

MINISTER of National Defence and acting minister of fisheries, who is British Columbia's representative in the Federal Cabinet, is paying his first official visit to Victoria today. During his visit here he will make a number of official calls, and deliver a public address to a service club gathering at noon today in the Empress Hotel.

MINISTER IS HERE TODAY

Hon. Grote Stirling to Pay Official Calls and Address Luncheon Meeting

Hon. Grote Stirling, Minister of National Defence and acting minister of fisheries, arrived in Victoria from Vancouver at an early hour this morning, on his first official visit here as a member of the Cabinet of Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett.

A round of official calls and a public address to service clubs at the Empress Hotel at noon are scheduled for today.

W. A. Found, deputy minister of fisheries, Ottawa, accompanied his acting chief.

The minister's first official call will be at the Naval Barracks and dockyard, Esquimalt, this morning. Later in the morning he will pay a visit to Work Point Barracks. At the noon hour he will be the luncheon guest of Victoria service clubs in a joint function to be held at the Empress Hotel.

MEETS CONSERVATIVES

At 1:45 p.m., Mr. Stirling will meet the executive of the Victoria Conservative Association at the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building. His arrangements after that are not yet known, but may include depart-

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CHASE ROBBER INTO THE RIVER

Detectives Shoot at Bandit Bobbing Up and Down in Icy Water

SASKATOON, Dec. 10 (CP).—Coming out on top in a running bandit chase, which began with gun-play on a downtown street and ended with more shooting in icy river water, city police, tonight, lodged one gunman in city hospital and the other in a headquarters cell.

Alex Reich or Rich was in hospital, under guard, with superficial bullet wounds in his left arm and right leg, he was dropped by police fire as he drew a nickel-plated .38 calibre revolver from a coat pocket.

Edward Cronk was taken to the police lock-up, wet and cold, after an unsuccessful getaway attempt from pursuing detectives in the South Saskatchewan River. Both men came from Winnipeg.

Wading into the river under the Canadian National Railway bridge, Cronk clung to the first pier of the bridge and slipped under water twice as the policemen peppered shots around him and ordered him to return to shore. Finally, he came ashore and submitted to arrest without further resistance.

A drug store owner later identified the men as the bandits who robbed his store about 7 o'clock tonight.

Debit Four More Lives To Alcohol

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 10 (AP).—Four more were added today to the denatured alcohol death toll, which tonight had reached twenty-two, and resulted in formal charges of involuntary manslaughter against a Portland druggist.

HOPE ABANDONED FOR LOST PLANE

Pacific Ocean Retains Secret of the Fate of T. P. Ulm and Companions

HONOLULU, Dec. 10 (AP).—The fruitless search for the Australian plane, Star of Australia, was virtually ended tonight, with military and civil officials ready to admit defeat in their efforts to make the many-hued Pacific surrender the secret of the fate of Charles T. P. Ulm and his two companions.

No word from the three has been received since shortly after they alighted, hopelessly lost and out of gasoline, somewhere on the ocean last Tuesday.

No trace of their bi-motored plane has been found.

The British Consul here, W. P. T. Turner, tendered Governor Poindexter and army and navy heads today the appreciation of the Australian Government and the families of the three fliers—Ulm, George Littlejohn and J. L. Skilling—for the week-long search they had made.

U.S. TO LAUNCH WAR ON CRIME

President Calls for Co-ordination of Enforcement Agencies in Country

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP).—Co-ordination of all United States law enforcement agencies, both Federal and State, and the aid of every individual in a war on crime, was asked tonight by President Roosevelt.

Addressing more than 500 men and women—sheriffs, district attorneys, school teachers, businessmen—assembled from every corner of the country for the Attorney-General's crime conference, the President said:

RELATIVELY POWERLESS

"The regulation of the illicit traffic in drugs, the prevention of commerce in stolen goods, and generally the interstate character of offences attributable to the roving criminal, have presented national problems against which primitive forms of law enforcement are relatively powerless."

Mr. Roosevelt then asked the delegates to plan "with scientific care" an administrative structure that will tie up every law-enforcing agency, Federal, State and local, in a real war on gangsters and their activities.

HUNDREDS ARRESTED

The conference was called to order just as the Narcotics Bureau was totaling up the results of its week-end drive against narcotic peddlers. The word came out that 791 men and women were arrested in the coast-to-coast sweep. Thousands of dollars' worth of illicit narcotics were seized.

Saanich Proposes Waterworks Plan To Cost $260,000

Municipality Moves to Secure Quarter-Million-Dollar Project on Mains From Federal Gov't—Reeve Optimistic on Outcome of Proposals

CONCRETE proposals for a $260,000 waterworks project in Saanich have been forwarded to Ottawa by Reeve William Crouch, it was announced, yesterday. The scheme would serve the Saanichton area, concentrating particularly on the district surrounding the Dominion Experimental Farm.

Reeve Crouch sent the estimate on the waterworks scheme to the Federal capital on request of the Government after conferences with Dominion officials in Victoria.

RELIEF MEASURE

Under the scheme, which would be introduced as a public works undertaking of the Dominion authorities, Saanich relief men would be employed, thus settling the problem of municipal relief for 1935.

Preliminary arrangements call for some eleven miles of pipe, extending from Wilkinson Road to the Experimental Farm. Water would be fed to that district through twelve-inch mains. At present Saanich is served with twelve-inch mains at Wilkinson Road, and the connection for the new project would be made at that point.

Saanich estimated the cost to the

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ISLAND MYSTERY LETTERS SEIZED

U.S. Customs Guards Take Documents Found by Tuna Clipper at Galapagos

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 10 (AP).—United States customs guards today seized from an American tuna clipper the packet of letters found beneath one of the two bodies on bleak Marchena Island, in the Galapagos, November 17.

The letters and other articles brought back from the island by the clipper, the Santa Amaro, were taken by the guards as the boat put in here from its equatorial fishing cruise.

Among the articles seized were photographs, films, a camera, identification cards and bits of clothing from the bodies. The guards would not disclose the contents of the letters or would they say why the [illegible] had seized them.

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THREE KILLED IN WRECK

FREEMAN, Ills., Dec. 10 (AP).—Three members of the crew of a Burlington southbound freight train were killed, Saturday, when the train crashed into a string of loaded coal cars on a siding here.

REV. R. CONNELL DESCRIBES TRIP

Leader of Opposition Suggests Appointment of Provincial Organizer for C.C.F. Party

In an address before 200 persons at the C.C.F. Hall last evening, Rev. Robert Connell, Leader of the Opposition in the Legislature, described his second speaking tour through British Columbia ridings, in which he had addressed fifty-three meetings in the course of seven weeks. Need of more organization and the services of a provincial organizer were suggested by the speaker as necessary. William Speed presided.

Mr. Connell devoted most of his time to a place-by-place description of the trip, in which, he said, he had been favorably received. The C.C.F., he declared, was gaining ground, and through education and organization was endeavoring to win the confidence of the people with its slogan, "Humanity First."

FRANCHISE ISSUE

The speaker defended the policy of votes for Orientals and Doukhobors outlined by J. S. Woodsworth, M.P., on the ground, among others, that the former were, for the most part, born in this country and were citzens; and the latter had been persecuted for centuries under the former Czarist regime in Russia, and grossly mishandled and misunderstood in Canada since arrival here.

No social order could long exist with a portion of the people made outcasts. The logical view was to remove any difference in wage levels and so raise the Oriental standard of living, he said.

Mr. Connell closed with an outline of Socialist thought in regard to present-day economic problems. A collection followed.

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CHAIN STORE HEADS HEARD

Make Recommendations to Meet Abuses to Mass Buying Commission

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (CP).—Operating heads of three of the largest food chains in Canada appeared, today, before the Parliamentary Mass Buying Commission, defended their merchandising and purchasing systems and left a series of recommendations to abolish unsatisfactory conditions in the grocery trade.

Morley Smith, president of Dominion Stores, and R. H. Hommel, head of Stop and Shop, Limited, gave the commission several suggestions which, they said, would eliminate unethical practices in the grocery trade and raise the working standards of clerks and managers.

MAKES SUGGESTIONS

Smith offered the following suggestions:

1. Elimination of vicious price-cutting through some Government board of organization empowered to investigate conditions and stop inethical practices in the grocery trade.

2. Elimination of loss leaders—the practice of selling goods below cost or close to it to entice customers to the stores.

3. A general overhauling of the Federal Weights and Measures Act.

4. Simplification of standards, such as standard packages, tins and containers.

5. General legislation so that all merchants, chains and independents, would raise wages and shorten hours of labor. (He admitted this would increase prices to consumers).

ADDS ONE MORE

The Stop and Shop president backed up most of the suggestions of the Dominion Stores official, and added one of his own—Provincial minimum wage laws to cover men.

Other witnesses heard were H. C. Berkstresser, general manager of the Toronto division of the great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company, and L. W. Beebe, manager of the Montreal division. They limited their evidence to a defence of the A. and P. system of credit allowances to store managers for shrinkage, wastage and spoiled goods.

The Dominion Stores president, suggesting a general overhaul of the Weights and Measures Act, said it was impossible to give sixteen ounces to the pound all the time. The act was antiquated and not in line with general customs in all grocery stores in Canada.

TAXATION CHANGE IS IMPERATIVE TO CITY

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problems seemed weightier than usual, and the courageous manner which the individual alderman faced his task, was worthy of congratulation and the thanks of the community.

At the commencement of his address the Mayor said: "What I would like to talk about this evening concerns the activities of the council. No mayor was ever blessed with a more harmonious council than that of 1934. Individually, they seemed to realize what the whole city was going through, and they gave of their time unsparingly to the attention of civic matters. While our finances are not as good as we would like to see them, yet they are in as good a shape as any other city in the Western Provinces. Victoria taxpayers have paid a higher percentage of taxes than most of the cities in the Dominion. I think, when I say that, I can see the evidence of confidence of our citizens in the present administration, and their willingness to give the City Council the support that is coming to it.

FINANCIAL POSITION

Referring to finances, the Mayor continued: "This is the first year the city has failed to pay into the sinking fund of the $241,000 called for in the budget. We were permitted to withold it through special legislation. Although the money was not placed in the sinking fund, there have been certain financial transactions, carried out by the council and finance committee, that have not only made up the deficit, but will permit us to close the year with a surplus of $40,000."

Mayor Leeming here referred to the position of Vancouver, with a shortage of between $7,000,000 and $8,000,000, and to the cities of Edmonton and Calgary which, he said, had also been delinquent in their sinking funds. In addition to the sinking fund, the city was forced to refund $231,000 of maturing debentures.

COSTS AND REVENUES

Social service costs for 1934 reached a total of $354,000, of which the city cannot avoid payment of one dollar. In 1930 the gross cost of social services was placed at $110,000. "In 1934 we find a new bill of an addition of $244,000. It is a staggering increase and, as figures go, may not seem very much; but it means a whole lot to the taxpayers' bill. School grants in 1931 amounted to $120,000, and these have been decreased 40 per cent to $71,800.

"While on this subject, I would just like to mention the work of the school trustees. They have tried to meet the wishes of the City Council in every respect, and we know they have fully endeavored to meet the situation. As an example: In 1924 there were 952 students in the High School, and in 1934 there were 1,244, an increase of 300 per cent, and yet the school board is carrying on without the money available in former years."

Mayor Leeming mentioned the total grants received from the Government for all purposes in 1929, amounted to $255,952 as against the small total of $107,800 in 1934, a drop of 77 per cent, or an additional $148,000 imposed on the taxpayer.

FUTURE OUTLAYS

The City Council, the Mayor remarked, will have to provide $773,000 for interest charges next year; $255,000 for sinking fund, $241,000 for serial debentures maturing in 1935, and $400,000 for schools. The whole bill was fixed by the Mayor at approximately $2,400,000, or $800,000 higher than the present tax bill. "There is absolutely nothing left under the control of the City Council that can be cut," the Mayor stated.

At this point Mayor Leeming mentioned the work of the individual aldermen. Those mentioned were Ald. P. R. Brown and the members of the finance committee, which had kept the finances of the city in excellent condition; Ald. Walter Luney and members of the fire wardens' committee; Ald. James Adam and his committee in charge of the old people's homes, and to Mr. and Mrs. George Howard for efficient managements. He also congratulated Alderman Alex Peden and members of the business and trade development committee and coupled with it a tribute to the late Alderman R. T. Williams. Alderman T. W. Hawkins was thanked for his work on the committee on street lighting.

MENTIONED BY MAYOR

Others mentioned included: Alderman Dr. J. D. Hunter and his committee in charge of health, morals and welfare; Alderman John A. Worthington and his committee in charge of parks and boulevards; members of the public works committee and the executive of the public works, which bodies relieved the council of a large amount of inspectional work. The Mayor also paid tribute to the work of Alex McDonald, who has charge of the city's public works. Alderman R. A. C. Dewar was also publicly thanked by the Mayor for his interest in the lands and other departments.

Mayor Leeming also complimented Alderman Andrew McGavin for his efficient administration of the city's water board, a new department of the civic administrative boards. This committee is one of the largest of the council and Mr. McGavin, the Mayor said, had given unsparingly of his time to this department. He explained that all of the aldermen mentioned above had served faithfully on other council committees during the year. The Mayor also paid a tribute to the valuable work being done by the British Columbia Agricultural Association, and said that more useful work had been accomplished during 1934 than in any previous year.

"I figure," concluded the Mayor, "that I have given to the public from time to time all the facts concerning the financial position of the city. I pursued the policy that the citizens had a right to know and to be informed of the financial standing."

WILLIAM H. SARGENT

William H. Sargent, candidate for mayor, in his opening remarks declared that high taxation in the city was due to the work on the outside being controlled by inefficient inside administration. There should be efficient supervisors of work placed on the jobs, he said.

"If we had more efficient outside workers, and less inside administrators, we would be better off," he asserted. The administration was becoming too top heavy, and a lot of foolish work was being done by the outside staff and those on relief.

Mr. Sargent said that eleven men were set to work weeding the tennis courts at Stadacona Park at $1.25 a day, and he reminded the audience that when he was young, he had had to work for $1 a day.

If boulevard trees, which were lifting sidewalks and roads, because of over-developed roots, were cut down instead of the city effecting repairs, a great saving in cost could be effected, the speaker stated.

WANTS SURVEY

Taxation on vacant land should be greatly reduced, and all reverted lots should be re-surveyed so that they could be merged and made larger, Mr. Sargent continued. There were many reverted lots that were of insufficient size for the construction of modern homes. The city would do well to rectify this situation, he said.

The proposed tourist trade development came under his criticism. He termed the projects as "little side shows," and said the Publicity Bureau money could be spent to better purpose.

Mr. Sargent denounced the placing of German guns on the Causeway, and suggested that pillars of giant trees be placed there as more fitting monuments to adorn the approach to the city.

PRISONERS IN OWN OFFICE

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They say they will stay until they get their cheques in full. The officials say they have no power to give them the cheques without deducting the $5.25. Most of the unemployed are from the Extension area.

LIGHT REFRESHMENT

At 11:30 o'clock coffee and sandwiches were taken into the waiting-room.

Starr-Sergeant Russell and Constable Jacklin, of the local Provincial Police, offered to escort the Government officials, J. Carrigan and J. F. Edge-Partington, out of the building, but they refused, saying they were conducting a passive resistance compaign.

The strikers, a number of them women, were whiling away the hours playing cribbage, and seemed to be having a good time, generally.

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LEAGUE SUCCEEDS IN ENDING WAR THREAT

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proves that statesmen may make concessions to the League when they might find it difficult to make them directly to governments. In this instance, Jugoslavia was seen as getting adequate satisfaction, while Hungary's honor remains unsullied.

SPONSORED BY BRITAIN

Great Britain regards the agreement, sponsored by her delegate, Anthony Eden, as showing the constructive value of Anglo-French co-operation.

The resolution insisted that all responsible for the killing of Alexander and Foreign Minister Louis Barthou of France be punished, recalled that it is the duty of every state neither to encourage nor tolerate in its territory "any terrorist activity with a political purpose," and that all nations must repress acts of this nature "and lend assistance to governments which request it."

The council took the view that the rules of international laws concerning the repression of terrorist activity were not sufficiently precise to guarantee international co-operation in the matter. It decided to set up a committee of experts to study the question, the committee to be composed of eleven members. The committee includes Hungary, but not Jugoslavia.

IMPASSIONED SPEECHES

The conflict arising out of Jugoslavia's charges had broadened earlier in the day into disputes over racial origins resulting from impassioned speeches made by the foreign ministers of the Little Entente nations.

During the tumultuous session of the council, France introduced the draft of a treaty providing creation of an international criminal court for the repression of terrorism. It would be permanent and would consist of five members.

The international court would be competent to act when an accused terrorist takes refuge in a country other than that which wishes to prosecute him, or when the country in which the crime was committed renounces the prosecution.

RIGHT OF PARDON

The right of pardon and convictions would be exercised by the council of the League of Nations on the proposal of the state in which the crime was committed, the state against which the crime was directed, or the state of which the condemned is a citizen.

The draft emphasized the necessity of greater precautions in the issuance of passports and specified that assassins should be made subject to extradition.

The crimes against which suppression would be directed under the proposed treaty would include attempts upon the life of heads of states and high Government officials, and attempts against public buildings, railroads, steamships and aircraft, and also the storage of arms, munitions or explosives in the commission of such crimes.

SAANICH PROPOSES WATERWORKS PLAN

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Dominion Government for completion of the scheme would be approximately $260,000.

MORE SCOPE GIVEN

In the event of the measure being successful, farm lands, formerly without water, would be enabled to be irrigated and would give Saanice farmers more scope in their work. Fruit farms and others would be greatly assisted by the project.

For years Professor E. M. Straight, superintendent of the Experimental Farm, has explained the need of proper water facilities in Saanich. Farming there had been somewhat retarded by the lack of water on the peninsula, he felt.

Reeve Crouch stated that the scheme might be taken as an indication the municipal council was always on the lookout to better Saanich.

"This idea, if successful, will do a great deal towards solving our unemployed question," declared Reeve Crouch. "There is a strong possibility that the measure will be accepted by Ottawa," he added.

UNIFICATION OF RAILWAYS URGED

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(4) Appointment of a board of directors to the holding company comprising twelve members, six of whom would be appointed by the Dominion Government and six by the C.P.R., with the Government choosing the chairman.

(5) The new company to operate the present two railways as one system.

WOULD MEET CHARGES

Mr. Euler claimed that his plan would permit the C.N.R. to come fairly close to paying the annual interest charges on its bonded indebtedness, while the C.P.R. would be enabled to meet the charges on its bonds, pay dividends on its preferred stock and even a little on its common stock.

He premised this claim on the assumption that the new set-up would earn enough to pay the charges on its $1,600,000,000 5 per cent debenture issue. Any profits over and above the debenture charges would be paid out in dividends on the holding company's common stock.

Mr. Euler, however, would limit this dividend rate to the highest rate ever paid on C.P.R. common stock. Should earnings reach this level, the C.N.R., of course, would prosper equally as holder of half the common stock. Any profits beyond this point, Mr. Euler believed, should go to the Government.

FROM DEFICIT TO REVENUE

Mr. Euler claimed that the operating savings effected under his plan would wipe out a large part of the C.N.R. deficit, which now drained the Treasury to the extent of $50,000,000 a year. Moreover, he held, in time substantial revenues would accrue to the Government.

His plan also had the merit of providing for labor displaced by the elimination of competition, he said. A first charge on profits would be provision of this kind. He was told by officials of both roads that this would not be a serious matter.

At the same time as unified ownership was established, wider powers should be given the Dominion board of railway commissioners to protect labor and the public interest against any monopolistic tendencies, he stated.

He claimed that adoption of this scheme would have the advantages of doing justice to C.P.R. investors, providing better national railway facilities, protecting Government control of a great public utility and eliminating undue political influence.

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Putting Price on Head of Sparrow

BERLIN, Dec. 10 (CP-Havas).—Sparrows had better spend their Christmas elsewhere than in Pomerania.

Due to the ravages caused to agriculture by the birds, authorities in one region have ordered each family to deliver to them a minimum of at least ten sparrow heads or pay a fine of fifty pfennigs. A premium of one pfennig per sparrow head will be paid from December 11 on.

WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—Cadboro Caddy, shown by Murray Turner, of Cadboro Bay, won the grand championship in the cattle exhibit at the British Columbia Winter Fair, tonight.

DAMAGE SUIT IS LAUNCHED

Action Taken Against Pilot Arising Out of Grounding at Port Alberni

An action for damages arising out of injuries alleged to have been done to the Ethel Radcliffe, a steamship of 5,673 tons, of London, Eng., register, which grounded in the harbor of Port Alberni on December 29, 1933, has been launched in the court here at the instance of the owners of the vessel, Anthony Radcliffe Steamship Company, Ltd., and Ethel Radcliffe Steamship Company, Ltd. The defendant in the action is Arthur J. Gilbert, of this city, a pilot for the Pilotage District of British Columbia.

The usual allegations of negligence and of lack of proper handling of the vessel is claimed against the pilot, as having resulted in the striking of St. Katherine Point in shifting from one wharf to another in the harbor. There is a claim for $3,000 set out in the way of damages, although it is contested by the company that there was expended in consequence of the accident, something over $16,000. The legal firm of Walsh, Bull, Housser, Tupper, Ray & Carroll, of Vancouver, is acting for the ship company.

W. H. M. Haldane, of this city, is agent for the Mainland legal firm.

LAID AT REST

The funeral service for Samuel Aaron Black, who passed away last Saturday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, took place yesterday afternoon. Relatives and many friends were present, and beautiful flowers testified to the respect in which Mr. Black was held. Rabbi M. Berner officiated, and the pallbearers were: Dr. David Berman, Ralph Frimson, M. Green, A. Alexander, I. M. Nodeck and J. Rose. The remains were laid at rest in the Jewish Cemetery.

BURIED AT CHEMAINUS

CHEMAINUS, Dec. 10.—The funeral of Oscar C. Stevens was held on Sunday afternoon, from Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. E. M. Cook officiating, assisted by Horace West, of Vancouver. During the service, the two hymns, "Rock of Ages" and "In the Land of Fadeless Day," were sung by the congregation, which filled the church. The pallbearers were: Thomas White, P. Morton, of Nanaimo, and James Cathcart, Chris. Pederson and Mr. Hart, of Chemainus. Interment took place in Chemainus Cemetery.

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Candidates in City Election Are Heard At Public Gathering

Retiring Aldermen and Trustees Give Accounts of Stewardship, While Other Aspirants Outline Policies—Tributes Paid to Departed

ALL retiring aldermen and trustees seeking re-election, together with those aspirants who are not incumbents of offices were given brief periods in which to ennunciate their policies at the meeting held in the Chamber of Commerce, last night, by the City Council, and at which Mayor Leeming gave a report of his stewardship.

Despite the multiplicity of candidates, the audience remained to the end, after which a general discussion on civic matters was held. The addresses were broadcast.

Tributes were paid by various speakers to the late Alderman R. T. Williams, the late Trustee J. L. Beckwith and the late Trustee J. M. Campbell.

ALD. JAMES ADAM

Alderman James Adam said that during the past eight years he had served on every committee of the council. He referred to the parks committee and Aged Men's Home committee, which dealt with the two extremes of life, the young and the old. He had at all times taken a keen interest in all parks and sports activities. In outlining the development of parks in the city, he referred to the creation of Heywood Park, Spencer Park, Hollywood Park, Macdonald Park and improvements to the Royal Athletic and Victoria West Parks.

Touching upon the Aged Men's Home, Alderman Adam expressed the opinion that it was one of the best on the Pacific Coast. Many thousands of dollars have been saved in the operation of the home without skimping. In concluding, he paid tribute to the unselfish efforts of Fred Landsberg and the many organizations which help the institution.

ALD. DR. J. D. HUNTER

Alderman Dr. J. D. Hunter referred to the honor that had been bestowed upon him at the last election, when he and the late Alderman R. T. Williams were elected at the head of the polls. He had endeavored to give the public permanent improvements in return for the money spent on relief. Chief among these was the improvement to the Johnson Street extension. As a member of the finance committee, he felt that the results accomplished by this committee spoke for themselves. He alluded to the $280,000 surplus that had been built up in the sinking fund. From this point he dealt with the new burdens that had been imposed upon the city, and illustrated how, by careful investigation, his committee had been able to cut social service costs by $1,500 a year. This was only one instance, he said.

Discussing taxation, Alderman Hunter expressed the view that the city should be given a share of the amusement tax imposed by the Province, and also a greater share of the gasoline tax. Referring to the question of garbage disposal, he said he was working on a new proposal for the abatement of the nuisance experienced at city beaches. He also had fought hard for lower ferry rates between the Mainland and Victoria. He said that he would make every effort to keep the mill rate down in the coming year.

ALD. WALTER LUNEY

Alderman Walter Luney said that he had made every effort to fulfill the promises he had made at the last election. In 1933 the fire wardens, of which he is chairman, reorganized the fire department, increasing the efficiency, and during the last two years cut the costs of the department by $28,000. Fire losses had been kept down to $8,000 this year, exclusive of the Moore & Whittington fire. Had the city had a finance committee in former years as it has had in the past two years, the finances would have been in a far more favorable position.

The alderman alluded to the advantageous sale of the timber on the Goldstream watershed. Considerable roadwork had been done in the city by relief, he said, explaining the part the executive of the public works committee had played in these matters. Alderman Luney is a member of the executive.

ALD. ANDREW McGAVIN

Alderman Andrew McGavin stated that when he ran for council two years ago he had made one promise. That promise, he said, was to reduce the publicity bureau grant. He had accomplished this to the extent of $7,500. Referring to the manner in which he had been ousted off the police commission, he said he still did not know why he was ousted. He criticized the power by which the Attorney-General could, by the stroke of his pen, take away the franchise of the people, to which they were rightfully entitled under democratic government. The alderman explained how he had been responsible for removing an extra water service charge on apartments; and pointed out that he had watched the city's interests well, not having missed one meeting of a committee or the council. He also secured a change in the irrigation rates.

As chairman of the water committee, Alderman McGavin stated, he had been instrumental in the improvements at the Goldstream flats. The most important business done during the year was the sale of the Goldstream watershed timber. The Kapoor Lumber Company had offered $37,000. The water committee had, however, secured $62,500. The alderman outlined his fight for lower fire insurance rates, and explained that he, too, had some credit coming to him for the improvements to the Johnson Street extension.

ERNEST E. BRAGG

Ernest E. Bragg declared he had made a close study of municipal affairs, and was utterly opposed to the present administration of relief. He said the whole system was farcical. Reductions in the salaries of higher-paid officials, and capable reorganization of the civic service were among matters he advocated.

F. J. CROWHURST

F. J. Crowhurst felt the council needed men who would put service before self and give freely of their time. He had had plenty of experience in municipal affairs, having been on councils in England, the Prairie Provinces and in Saanich. Discussing relief, he expressed the view that it was a national problem, and it behooved the public to elect a man to office to see that unemployment relief was handled in a sane way. He thought the proposal of J. Carl Pendray to extend the water system to Sidney was a sound one, and a most excellent way to relieve unemployment and yet obtain some reimbursement for the money spent.

ARTHUR HINDER

Arthur Hinder stated that during the past three years he had been secretary of the Victoria Ratepayers' Association, and as such had taken a keen interest in civic matters. At the present moment a determined effort should be made to secure a return of grants from the Provincial Government. He said he was strongly opposed to cutting small salaries, and also against any increase in the mill rate or improvement tax. The city manager form of government also was advocated by the speaker.

MRS. ALICE McGREGOR

Mrs. Alice McGregor, exponent of women's rights, alluded to the city of Windsor which elected a woman to the council at the head of the poll. She expressed the hope that Victoria would grant the women representation on the council. There were many women taxpayers in the city, who, she felt, were entitled to representation. There were many problems, she said, that needed a woman's attention. She advocated exemption from taxation on homes up to a certain value to encourage home building.

EDWARD WILLIAMS

Edward Williams said that it was apparent that little relief would come to overburdened taxpayers by playing a waiting game. He urged lower taxation on vacant lots. It was too much, he asserted, to ask a person to build in the city when he would have to pay $75 in taxes as compared with $25 in outside municipalities. He criticized the tax sale, and said he was opposed to the selling of a man's home under any condition. "I maintain it is an absolute steal to sell a man's home because his property may be three years in arrears of taxation," the speaker concluded.

ARCHIE WILLS

Archie Wills declared: "As a newspaperman of some years' experience, I have heard plenty of promises made by candidates who later have suffered from insomnia from promises unfulfilled, so I will not make any rash ones myself. Like most candidates I am interested in taxes and relief, because they are primary problems. I would like to see an earnest attempt made at Greater Victoria. We are suffering from inferiority complex because of the last census. I really do think the council should take steps to at least discuss the matter. It takes time to bring about a merger, and we should start now." The beautification of the city by the Provincial Government in return for tax exemption, and start of the West Coast Road were advocated by Mr. Mills. He felt the city should urge upon the Province the construction of the road as a very necessary public work.

TRUSTEE P. E. GEORGE

Trustee P. E. George, first of the school board candidates, paid tribute to the Mayor for his tourist trade scheme. He also paid tribute to the late trustees J. L. Beckwith and J. M. Campbell. His reference to Trustee George Jay's thirty-two years' service on the board was greeted with applause. The school board had been sincere in its endeavor to economize. In the last several years the budget had been cut $94,000. Of this amount the teachers had borne $54,000, and at the same time assumed extra curriculums work. Mr. George said he had served on the board for four years, and as a member of the building and grounds committee had assisted in maintaining eighteen institutions in a good state of repair.

TRUSTEE W. C. MORESBY

Trustee W. C. Moresby, K.C., paid tribute to the work of the Mayor during the present depression. Giving service to the public through the school board was a responsibility that had grown upon him with the passing years. He sought re-election because he felt it was the duty of all good citizens to give some service to the public. He found an opportunity to do this through the school board, he said. Touching upon appointment of teachers, he said the question of a teacher's ability to mould character was taken into consideration in a great measure. High praise was paid at the last convention of British Columbia Teachers' Association to the efficiency of Victoria's teaching staff, the speaker declared. Trustee Moresby also paid tribute to the late Trustees Beckwith and Campbell, and also Trustee George Jay, who is retiring from the board.

MRS. D. L. MacLAURIN

Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin said that the Local Council of Women had impressed upon her that it was her duty to serve in public office, since she had such a wealth of experience which could be put at the disposal of the public. Her father had served this city as mayor, alderman and trustee. Her husband had been identified with education for many years, while she herself had taught for ten years. The money spent on education was the best investment in social service, she asserted. It was the duty of a school trustee, she said, to hold the balance between those who cry for education and those who shout for lower taxation. She felt, too, that there should be some one on the school board to represent women's point of view.

"Relief Strike" Leaves Strikers Outside of Camp

MORE than 200 men were "on strike" from relief camps in British Columbia yesterday, according to advices received by Provincial officials. The "strike" was said to be an aftermath of agitation by glib orators who assured the men this form of demonstration would be effective. The effect, so far, is that several hundred men have put themselves definitely off relief. Scores were applying in Vancouver during the day, asking to be taken back to the camps, under administration by the Department of National Defence. Provincial circles intimated the Province will not intervene.

MOURN PASSING OF JOHN CREED

Resident of Victoria for Fifty Years Succumbs—Funeral Rites Today

Death came on Sunday, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, to John Creed, aged seventy-four years, of 1621 Fernwood Road, a well-known pioneer resident of Victoria. Mr. Creed was born in London, England, and had resided here for fifty years. The deceased lived for ten years in San Francisco before coming to Victoria.

He is survived by his widow; three sons, John A., Walter C. and G. Stanley, all of Victoria; and two daughters, Mrs. R. Anker and Mrs. A. Jordan, also of Victoria.

Rev. J. H. A. Wart will officiate at funeral services, to be conducted today at 2 o'clock, at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

FUNERAL RITES WELL ATTENDED

Services Conducted for Late Mrs. Joseph Balagno at St. Andrew's Cathedral

Tribute to the memory of Mrs. Joseph Balagno, whose death occurred last Thursday, was paid at funeral rites held here yesterday by a large gathering of friends. Beautiful floral offerings were received, betokening the high esteem in which Mrs. Balagno was held. At 9 o'clock Requiem High Mass was sung at St. Andrew's Cathedral by Rev. Father J. A. Gaudette. The remains were laid at rest in Ross Bay Cemetery. The pallbearers were E. Rainaldi, A. de Giralomo, J. Delmastro, A. Marmo, A. Bonaguro and A. Segnani.

The late Mrs. Balagno was a well-known pioneer of Vancouver Island, having come here forty-eight years ago. She had been a resident of Victoria for twenty-five years.

She is survived by her husband, Joseph Balagno, at the family residence, 815 Princess Avenue; four sons, Charles P. of Prince Rupert, William of Seattle, and Frank and Peter of Victoria; one daughter, Mrs. Lorendi of this city, and seven grandchildren; one brother, Felix Barera, of Victoria, and two sisters in Italy.

DEBATE ON INDIA OPENS

House Starts Discussion of Parliamentary Committee's Report

LONDON, Dec. 10 (CP).—The House of Commons tonight was launched on a full-dress three-day debate over the report of the joint select Parliamentary committee on India—last stage of the proposals for self-government with safeguards before they are actually sent through the legislative mill by introduction of the India Bill shortly.

The committee's report, which is to be the basis of the Government's India Bill, was under fire from two sides—from the Laborites, who claim it does not go far enough, and from the Conservative "Die-Hards," who claim it goes altogether too far. As the latter were solidly routed at the special Conservative convention a few days ago, approval of the report by a substantial majority is assured.

GOVERNMENT RESOLVED

Initiating the debate, Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for India, told the packed House that the Government was firmly resolved to introduce a bill along the principles of the Parliamentary committee's report and to pass it into law at the present session. If it were not passed, he predicted that trouble would result.

"If no bill is passed at this session there will be no comprehensive India Bill for many years to come," Sir Samuel said. "I am quite sure the inevitable result of such a state of affairs would be to drive the problem of Indian constitutional reform into a battle between the extreme Right and extreme Left, and the creation of such an atmosphere as would make reconciliation impossible for many years to come."

UNITY PARAMOUNT

The Minister stressed the importance that the Government attaches to preventing a break-up in India, declaring unity was paramount. The report envisages a federated India, consisting of autonomous British provinces and the Indian states. The participation of the native states, he told the House, was absolutely essential.

He concluded by declaring that the report's safeguards, such as reserving power over defence, and foreign relations to the Viceroy were neither "paper" safeguards nor were they designed to impede the development of the constitution, and, furthermore, vigorously denied charges that they were cunningly devised to take away with one hand what was given with the other.

MRS. E. ROBILLARD TAKEN BY DEATH

Resident of This District for Years Passes Away Suddenly at Sooke Home

Mrs. Elia Robillard, a resident of Victoria and district for twenty-seven years, passed away very suddenly, yesterday morning, at the family residence at Sooke. She was about as usual on Sunday, and news of her death will come as a distinct shock to her friends, of whom she had many, both in Victoria and in the Sooke district, who knew her as a woman of charitable and kindly disposition.

Mrs. Robillard was born in France, and for the last ten years had resided at Sooke. She was the widow of Arthur F. Robillard. She is survived by two sons, Raoul and Andre, who were the proprietors of the Sooke Hotel, which was destroyed by fire last Summer.

The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday morning, at 8:45, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Mass will be celebrated, at 9 o'clock, Rev. Father Gaudette officiating. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

For short hops to a cluster of small islands like the Orkneys, the airplane was used for the first time last Summer by the Moderator of the Church of Scotland in his visitation of the churches.

Little Bedtime Stories

At Last Peter Understands

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Peter Rabbit sat on the edge of the Old Brier Patch and watched the flying giant carry Farmer Brown's boy up, up, up, until the giant itself seemed no bigger than Ol' Mistah Buzzard. Peter was so excited and so astonished that he almost forgot to breathe. He wondered if Farmer Brown's Boy would ever come back. Presently, as Peter watched, the giant began to come down. Down, down, down came the great flying giant. Just as Peter had seen it do before it landed on the Green Meadows and ran a little way. Then it stopped and Farmer Brown's Boy and the other man jumped out of the back of it while Farmer Brown hurried over to join them. Once more they walked round and round the giant, and the stranger who had jumped out of it with Farmer Brown's Boy seemed to be explaining things.

Now whatever his faults may be Peter isn't stupid. He understood now that this flying giant wasn't a living thing at all. He understood that it was something made by man, just as were the monsters that tore along the roads and which Farmer Brown's Boy always calls automobiles. It was hard to believe that men could fly, but he had seen them do it with his own eyes. After all this was no harder to believe than it was to believe in a giant as big as this great machine.

Of course, you guessed long ago what it all meant. Not such a great distance from where Farmer Brown's Boy lived was a factory where airplanes were being made. One of the men who tests the machines had discovered that the Green Meadows was a splendid place on which to land. He had invited Farmer Brown's Boy to take a trip in the air with him, and it had all happened just where Peter could see it.

So he hurried to tell little Miss Peter.

Now that he understood, Peter was no longer afraid. He was eager to tell his friends about it. This was the biggest piece of news since the coming of Buster Bear to the Green Forest, and Peter was anxious to spread it about. You know no one loves to be the bearer of news more than does Peter Rabbit. So he hurried to tell Mrs. Peter, and then as soon as the flying machine left, disappearing far away beyond the Green Meadows, Peter started for the Green Forest as fast as he could go, lipperty-lipperty-lip.

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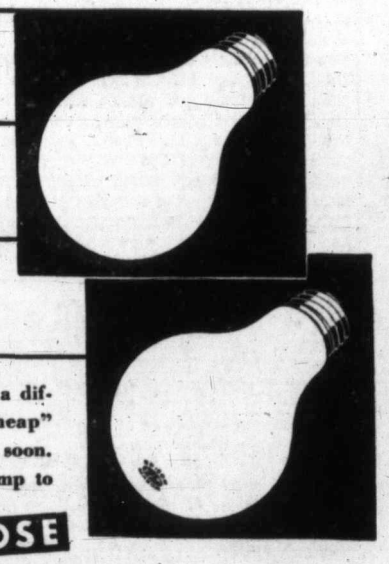

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FUNCTIONS OF CENTRAL BANK

The purpose designed to be served by the creation of a Central Bank in this country is that it will contribute, directly and indirectly, to the national economic welfare. Mr. E. N. Rhodes, the Minister of Finance, has had a brochure prepared, giving a conception of the purposes which the Central Bank will serve. The function of the issue of currency is to belong to the Central Bank once it is in being. The explanation is that unification of the note issue will make possible a better adjustment between the supply of currency and the business demands for it. Moreover, the hope is that it will mean greater elasticity in the currency system, while still maintaining the integrity of the monetary standard.

It is purposed to transfer to the Central Bank the gold now held by the Department of Finance and by the chartered banks. That gold will be held as reserve against the legal tender notes and the deposit liabilities of the Bank of Canada, and indirectly of the whole banking system. In other words, the total stocks of gold in the country will be concentrated under a single authority, which will be charged with the responsibility of seeing that Canada's monetary reserves are adequate.

The greatest task which the Central Bank will essay is to attempt, "so far as may be possible within the scope of monetary action," to mitigate fluctuations in the general level of employment, prices and business activity. That might indicate that it might have powers that would act as a check in the case of periods of depression, and, alternately, of prosperity. That could hardly be so, for nowhere have central banks made any difference of a striking character in the matter of economic trends. However, a Central Bank can formulate a deliberate and informed credit policy which could be made to act as a brake in times of undue optimism and offer something in the nature of stimulus and be of financial assistance in times of depression.

The Central Bank is to have certain powers to protect the value of the Canadian dollar in the foreign exchange market. Canada, says the brochure prepared for the Minister of Finance, is particularly interested in the international value of her currency because of her relatively large volume of external trade and foreign indebtedness. The Central Bank is expected to act as a steadying force, as a central institution which can co-operate on behalf of the country as a whole with other nations for any stabilization of currency.

The Central Bank is to act as the fiscal agent of the Federal Government. It can fulfill the same role for provincial governments. It can develop a short-term money market in the Dominion. This would be to give assistance in developing more economical short-term financial operations for the governments of the country. Mr. Rhodes believes there is an obvious need in the Dominion for somebody who will give expert and disinterested advice, particularly to provincial governments, regarding the domestic as well as the foreign market for bonds, as well as offering facilities for some possible co-ordination of external borrowing operations. The Central Bank is expected to perform a useful service in this particular.

THE DECAY OF SELF-RELIANCE

A certain prominent American official tells of a woman, long a domestic in the house of one of the official's friends, who resigned her situation, explaining that she and her husband were going to visit the World's Fair at Chicago, and on their return go on relief. The narrator of this story is the Chief of the National 1934 Mobilization of Human Needs, Mr. Newton D. Baker. Shortly before this incident occurred, a young man in good circumstances had called upon him to ask for a letter to the Canadian Immigration authorities certifying that, if admitted to the Dominion, the young man would not become a public charge. Asked why he wanted to go to Canada, he replied that he intended to spend the Winter trapping fur-bearing animals just south of the Arctic Circle. He had tried trapping in Northern Maine, and desired to extend his experience. Giving the young man his letter, Mr. Baker gave him his blessing also. He said: "I wish I could tell you what I really think about you. I am wondering whether I do not see in you the last survivor of the pioneer. I wonder whether you are not in fact the last young man I shall ever see who is not afraid of the dark and of hardship, and wants to stand on his own feet and force his own way by the vigor of his own spirit and the strength of his own hands."

Perhaps it was the contrast between these two "cases" that led Mr. Baker to write an article in the December Atlantic which can hardly fail to raise at least one serious question in the minds of reflective men, namely, whether there is any disease to which human society is exposed that is more easily contracted under certain social and political conditions, more rapid in its progress, or more devastating in its moral effects than the decay of self-reliance.

A third incident is mentioned in Mr. Baker's article. A good many people will remember the Johnstown Flood of 1889. The distress and losses of the people overwhelmed by the flood moved kind souls everywhere to contribute money for the relief of the sufferers. Many millions were contributed, enough to restore the public utilities destroyed, rebuild every private house, and re-establish completely by means of a money payment the economic status of every family. Even when all was done, a large sum of money remained unexpended. What was to be done with it? Members of the committee racked their brains to find reasonable excuses for further distribution. When their ingenuity was exhausted and there was still nearly a million dollars left, a mill owner in the district suggested that the remainder of the money should be put in silver dollars in an open cart on the public square and that the people should be invited to scramble for it. "I want to start my steel mill," he explained, "and so long as this money lies around to be gotten by some other process than working, I can get nobody to go to work in the mill. If it is distributed, no matter how, and everybody knows that it is all gone, they will all go to work again, and it will be better for them and for Johnstown."

The problem of relief is a major problem today in Canada as well as in the United States. It is the settled opinion of the taxpayers that the vast majority of those of their fellow-citizens who are on relief would far rather be at work than continue to depend on the subsistence provided for them from the public funds, and that they look forward with more than eagerness to the return of normal times. No one suggests for a moment that a few years of severe depression could possibly transform the rugged individualism of the citizens of two pioneering nations into an unambitious, unaspiring parasitism. The thing is incredible; the suggestion would indeed be little short of an insult.

What Mr. Baker wishes to emphasize, however, is a fact that has been illustrated many times in history, namely, that the moral fibre of a certain section of the population is bound to deteriorate under a long drawn-out regime of government doles. The particular section of the population referred to, of course, is emphatically not that in which the professional Communistic agitator, the chronic trouble-makers, the shirkers, the weary Willies are to be found. It would be ludicrous to suggest that the morals of people who thrive in an atmosphere of hatred and suspicion, who love to stir up strife and set class against class, who exploit discontent for their own profit, are in any serious danger of being corrupted. It is true, however, as Mr. Baker has pointed out, that large numbers of people who are perhaps a little below the average in respect of personal ambition, energy, and firm moral fibre, can only too easily come to hope and desire that temporary measures of relief may become permanent and that they themselves may be excused from the necessity of supporting themselves. A striking feature of the situation is that in many cases these people who have thus lost personal ambition and desire to earn their living by hard work, nevertheless retain enough energy to organize and carry on an aggressive campaign of agitation, bringing pressure to bear, political pressure at first, to secure a continuance and a further extension of relief arrangements. A great amount of the energy formerly expended in productive work is thus devoted to political agitation which, as events have proved, is apt to degenerate into violence. In short, they soon imbibe the spirit and even adopt the racketeering practices which were brought to such a high degree of perfection by rum runners and gangsters and the disorderly camp-followers of labor.

What is the social philosophy which is preached by those who urge their fellows to look to "the State" as the source of their well-being instead of depending on themselves? The answer seems to be that the hot gospellers of this economic and political cult are all for equality and place no value at all upon liberty. When they say equality they do not mean mere equality of opportunity. What they desire is an assured and permanent equality, not of opportunity, but of status. This status can be secured and perpetuated only by the destruction of individual liberty. The individual who exhibits initiative, who is out to better his condition, who is a saver rather than a spender, the pioneer who is willing to take his chance in a difficult enterprise is an enemy to be destroyed in any state in which equality has triumphed over liberty.

TO A SLEEPING VILLAGE

Dear little village of the hilly streets,
Asleep you lie beneath the Autumn Moon,
Your windows shuttered and your doors secured,
White moonbeams trip your streets on silver shoon.
Peaceful you are when sounds of life are hushed,
And I would seek you in the stilly night,
Hearing you breathe soft as a slumbering babe,
Into my soul would creep a sweet delight,
With the dear moonbeam host to walk and feel
Within my heart the gift of peace profound,
Dear little village of the kindly souls,
Who seek God's glory thro' the daily round,
Humble you are and simple in your guise,
But bright and fair to God's all-seeing eyes.

—Padraig J. O'Rourke, in Irish Weekly Independent.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., December 10, 1934.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The barometer has risen on the Coast, and unsettled, mild weataher prevails over this Province.

Milder weather is reported in Alberta and Saskatkchewan, and moderately cold weather in Manitoba.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	.01	41	44
Nanaimo	--	.18	36	45
Vancouver	--	.08	38	44
Kamloops	--	--	28	34
Prince George	--	--	18	44
Estevan Point	--	.02	42	50
Prince Rupert	--	.04	44	46
Atlin	--	.02	32	38
Dawson	.60	--	26	32
Seattle	--	Trace	40	48
Portland	--	--	36	42
San Francisco	--	--	52	64
Spokane	--	--	20	30
Los Angeles	--	--	62	78
Penticton	--	--	26	--
Vernon	--	--	26	--
Grand Forks	--	--	18	24
Nelson	--	--	27	30
Kaslo	--	--	28	--
Cranbrook	--	--	16	22
Calgary	--	--	34	58
Edmonton	--	--	18	34
Swift Current	--	--	16	44
Prince Albert	--	--	14	24
Qu'Appelle	--	--	18	26
Winnipeg	.40	--	8	12
Moose Jaw	--	--	16	48
Sunday—				
Toronto	--	--	11	16
Ottawa	--	--	2b	14
Montreal	--	--	2b	8
Saint John	--	--	4	16
Halifax	--	--	10	18

SUNDAY

Maximum	48
Minimum	36
Average	42
Minimum on the grass	29

Weather, clear; sunshine, 3 hours, 12 minutes.

MONDAY

Maximum	44
Minimum	41
Average	43
Minimum on the grass	35

Weather, cloudy; rainfall, .01.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; wind, N., 6 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; calm; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.40; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.14; calm; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.02; wind, SE., 12 miles; cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.06; wind, SE., 8 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.06; wind, E., 28 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 30.10; wind, E., 10 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.10; wind, NW., 4 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; wind, N., 10 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

There is a tide in the affairs of men,
Which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune.

—Shakespeare.

Physically there are few points of resemblance between Los Angeles and Victoria. But if it were possible to speak of cities in terms of personification, there is much psychologically in common between Los Angeles and Victoria. The oldest inhabitant of Los Angeles will tell you that fifty or sixty years ago the whole of the district which comprises one of the chief cities of the United States was practically a desert. At the period mentioned Victoria was not a very populous place, but it was, for the time, an important shipping point and no mean business centre. The progress of the capital of British Columbia has been comparative slow but consistently steady. The progress of Los Angeles has been so fast that it has aroused wonder throughout the world. Victoria grew. Los Angeles was made. All the forces which have made it are artificial—except the climate. The climate helped materially to make it, and the climate was a gift of the gods.

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Chemically, water and oil will not mix; but water and oil have been principally instrumental in the making and developing of Los Angeles and all Southern California. There is an abundance of water in the surrounding mountains. There are great stores of oil down in the earth. The water in the mountains has been piped down into the plains, and the place which was a desert is producing all manner of fruits in great abundance. Men have dug deep down into the earth and tapped the oil reservoirs. There are forests of derricks rearing their heads around all the numerous cities, sometimes within the cities. Pumps are working day and night practically automatically, and the wealth they are producing has enriched Los Angeles, increased her population, and spread her name and fame throughout the world.

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The oil reservoirs will become exhausted, but the water reservoirs in the everlasting hills are inexhaustible and will flow down into the sandy plains forever. The made orchards will continue to blossom as the rose, giving employment to millions of men and increasing the wealth of the communities. There is no oil in the neighborhood of Victoria, but there is an abundance of water. The districts surrounding the city are not deserts. The soil is naturally fruitful; but it never has produced in accordance with its capacity for production because during the months of normally greatest growth there is no rain. Men who have been scientifically trained in the business of agriculture tell us that the district of Saanich alone could produce two-thirds greater crops annually if there were water laid on the land for purposes of irrigation during the season of drought.

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In both Canada and the United States there is a great deal of discussion (much of which appears destined to be fruitful) about construction, reconstruction and recovery, about building new public buildings and erecting private houses, for the purpose of providing employment for the unemployed. The Government of the United States is spending billions of dollars, and the Government of Canada will be spending millions of dollars, in the construction of public works. Some of the proposed new works will be of a permanent nature and will be a source of enrichment to the nations. Most of them will be of a temporary character, and not a source of permanent wealth.

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One of the most successful and most enterprising of the business men of Victoria, Mr. J. Carl Pendray, has made a very interesting suggestion, which should commend itself to the Dominion Government, to the Provincial Government and to the governments and residents of Southern Vancouver Island. There is no doubt at all that ultimately water will be provided for all parts of this district between Victoria and Sidney. The time for such an enterprise will never be more opportune than the present. The work would be of a permanent nature. It would give employment to idle men. It would be a work of development. It would increase production and add materially to the consuming population. It would be a work of real construction, and the cost of it could easily be justified from a national, provincial and local point of view. It would bring within the compass of the life of the existing generation the goal of all forward-looking citizens, a Greater Victoria, comprising the bulk of the population of the rich Saanich Peninsula.

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The Government of the province should take up this matter and lay it before the Dominion Government. Both Governments are going to spend a lot of money in the construction of public buildings, which may be classified as works of expedience rather than necessity. Public buildings are not productive of either resources or revenue. The irrigation of Saanich would create an industrial revolution in one of the richest districts of the Dominion.

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LIBERAL NOMINATING CONVENTION

Sir,—In Saturday's Colonist, under the above caption, a correspondent lacking a sense of the fitness of things informs your readers that on account of his discovery of an irregularity at the Liberal nominating convention, the name of Mr. Whitney Griffiths should be substituted for that of Mr. McDowell, the convention's nominee.

It is our opinion that it would not make the slightest difference which one of the two men was chosen. In fact, we are not certain if it would be worth the effort to disturb Mr. Plunkett or Mr. Dickie in their comfortable seats, unless a man could be found who has a glimmer of an idea and the ability to teach the people, in these, our times, how to sustain life and promote their welfare by making use of the great resources at our door, and not waste time and raise false hopes by telling them that they can borrow themselves into prosperity and idleness.

ANTHONY KOHOUT.

Sooke, B.C., December 9, 1934.

RE CADBOROSAURUS

Sir,—Referring to an item published recently in the local press, I wish to say that the matter of Cadborosaurus has been thoroughly investigated, and, according to the known evidence submitted, it would appear that the only persons known to have sighted a monster similar in appearance, size and shape to Caddy, previous to the discovery of Caddy in Cadboro Bay, on October 14, 1933, were Major and Mrs. Langley while cruising off Cadboro Bay during October, 1933.

I might also add that Cadborosaurus made several appearances in Cadboro Bay during October and November, 1933, giving ample opportunity to obtain definite details.

Cadborosaurus is not a sea serpent, but has the head and neck of a lizard, the body a huge dome, with serrations the entire length of the spine, and with head submerged it would be mistaken for a whale, except for the serrations.

CHAS. F. EAGLES.

526 Sayward Block, Victoria, B.C., December 10, 1934.

Tides at Victoria

Time of tides (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1934.

Date	Time H. M.	Ht Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht Ft.	Time H. M	Ht Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht Ft.
1	1:50	5.4	10:40	8.7	18:35	4.5		
2			10:54	8.9	18:54	3.5		
3			11:09	9.1	19:20	2.5		
4			11:25	9.5	19:50	1.6		
5			11:50	9.9	20:27	0.9		
6			12:17	10.1	21:05	0.4		
7			12:50	10.3	21:45	0.1		
8			13:25	10.1	22:28	0.1		
9	8:04	8.9	10:02	8.8	14:07	9.6	23:11	0.6
10	8:20	8.9	11:32	8.4	14:52	8.9	23:55	1.3
11	8:40	8.9	13:07	7.8	15:48	8.0		
12	0:40	2.3	9:00	8.9	14:40	6.8	17:17	7.0
13	1:22	3.5	9:20	9.0	15:55	5.7	20:15	6.2
14	2:00	4.7	9:35	9.0	16:57	4.5	23:30	6.1
15	2:15	5.9	9:55	9.1	17:47	3.5		
16			10:14	9.4	18:30	2.6		
17			10:35	9.6	19:12	1.8		
18			11:00	9.8	19:50	1.3		
19			11:27	9.9	20:27	1.0		
20	7:00	9.2	8:07	9.1	11:58	9.9	21:03	0.9
21	7:13	9.1	9:04	9.0	12:27	9.6	21:37	1.0
22	7:35	9.0	9:55	8.9	12:55	9.3	22:11	1.4
23	7:52	9.0	10:55	8.6	13:25	8.9	22:45	1.8
24	8:05	8.8	12:18	8.2	13:42	8.3	23:20	2.2
25	8:19	8.7					23:50	3.0
26	8:30	8.7						
27	0:15	3.7	8:45	8.7				
28	0:30	4.5	8:58	8.8	17:15	5.6	19:42	5.7
29	0:25	5.2	9:12	8.9	17:15	4.8		
30			9:25	9.0	17:40	3.9		
31			9:38	9.4	18:15	3.0		

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1934.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	2:00 a.m.	1:20 p.m.
2	3:09 a.m.	1:40 p.m.
3	4:22 a.m.	2:03 p.m.
4	5:39 a.m.	2:33 p.m.
5	6:56 a.m.	3:12 p.m.
6	8:03 a.m.	4:04 p.m.
	(New Moon on 6th)	
7	9:12 a.m.	5:11 p.m.
8	10:03 a.m.	6:29 p.m.
9	10:41 a.m.	7:52 p.m.
10	11:11 a.m.	9:15 p.m.
11	11:34 a.m.	10:36 p.m.
12	11:55 a.m.	11:55 p.m.
13	12:14 p.m.	....
	(First Quarter on 13th)	
14	12:33 p.m.	1:12 a.m.
15	12:54 p.m.	2:28 a.m.
16	1:18 p.m.	3:44 a.m.
17	1:46 p.m.	4:58 a.m.
18	2:25 p.m.	6:09 a.m.
19	3:11 p.m.	7:14 a.m.
20	4:06 p.m.	8:10 a.m.
	(Full Moon on 20th)	
21	5:08 p.m.	8:54 a.m.
22	6:14 p.m.	9:28 a.m.
23	7:21 p.m.	9:55 a.m.
24	8:28 p.m.	10:18 a.m.
25	9:33 p.m.	10:36 a.m.
26	10:39 p.m.	10:53 a.m.
27	11:45 p.m.	11:08 a.m.
28	....	11:24 a.m.
29	0:51 a.m.	11:42 a.m.
	(Last Quarter on 29th)	
30	2:01 a.m.	12:02 p.m.
31	3:13 a.m.	12:28 p.m.

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HORTICULTURIST CALLED TO REST

John Hutchison Was Recognized Expert on Plant Life —Funeral Today

One of British Columbia's outstanding authorities on horticulture passed away here, yesterday, in the person of John Hutchison.

While it was as a recognized expert on plant life that Mr Hutchison was best known in Victoria and on Vancouver Island, he will be remembered in the Interior of the province as one of the pioneers of the Kootenay country. He rode down the Columbia Valley to Fort Steele, in 1896, before the Southern Interior had railway connection with the outside world, and was one of the small group of men who founded the city of Cranbrook, where he was one of the first residents and publisher of the first newspaper issued in that part of the province.

LIVED IN KOOTENAYS

During his residence in the Kootenays, he saw the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway through the Crow's Nest Pass and the development of the contiguous country as a large mining and industrial centre. For a time he lived in Fernie where, with the other residents, he saw his home burned in the conflagration which destroyed the entire town. He also witnessed the famous landslide which buried the adjoining town of Frank, with heavy loss of life.

On moving to the Coast, Mr. Hutchison held a post in the Lands Department of the Provincial Government for some years, resigning to take up commercially the hobby of plant culture, which he had followed for many years. It was in this capacity that he became the guide, philosopher and friend of countless amateur gardeners who sought his advice and used his extraordinary knowledge of plants. During the last twenty-five years he had amassed one of the greatest plant collections in America, and was frequently visited by collectors from many parts of the world, as they passed through Victoria.

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He lectured and wrote widely on horticulture, and frequently traveled in British Columbia, collecting rare native plants which he cultivated in his own garden. One of the organizers of the Vancouver Island Horticultural Association and a leading spirit in its annual flower shows, he was elected president of the organization last year, but later resigned because of ill-health.

BORN IN ROME

Mr. Hutchison was born in Rome, the son of English parents and, after being educated in English public schools and traveling widely in Europe, he came to Canada as a young man to engage in ranching in Manitoba, before moving to British Columbia.

He is survived by his widow and one son, Bruce Hutchison, and two grandchildren at the family home, Rogers Avenue, Saanich. Services will be held at the B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and afterwards the remains will be sent to Vancouver for cremation. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

Council Receives Ruling on Relief Without Comment

Notification that the Federal and Provincial Governments will bear 60 per cent of relief costs in the municipality from October 1, 1934, to March 31, 1935, was received without comment by Esquimalt Council last night.

Under a previous ruling of the Provincial and Dominion authorities, it had been announced that municipalities would contribute about 23 per cent more than when the one-third basis was in effect. This latter scheme called for an equal share from Federal, British Columbia and Municipal Governments.

However, under the ruling received by the council last night, the cost to Esquimalt will be about 3 per cent less than at first anticipated.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1934.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:42	4:22	17	7:58	4:21
2	7:44	4:22	18	7:59	4:21
3	7:45	4:21	19	7:59	4:21
4	7:46	4:21	20	8:00	4:22
5	7:47	4:21	21	8:00	4:22
6	7:48	4:21	22	8:01	4:23
7	7:49	4:20	23	8:01	4:23
8	7:50	4:20	24	8:02	4:24
9	7:50	4:20	25	8:02	4:25
10	7:51	4:20	26	8:03	4:25
11	7:53	4:20	27	8:03	4:26
12	7:54	4:20	28	8:03	4:27
13	7:55	4:20	29	8:03	4:28
14	7:56	4:20	30	8:03	4:29
15	7:57	4:20	31	8:03	4:30
16	7:57	4:20			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Effendi is a term of respect among the Turks, corresponding to Mr. or Sir.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of December 11, 1884)

Sheep Killed—Dr. Tolmie, Mr. James Tod, A. Glendenning, Mr. Irving and many other farmers in adjacent districts to Victoria recorded the loss of many sheep through the depredations of vagabond dogs, principally of the retriever breed. Poison has been scattered on all these farms, but what sensible dog will eat carrion when he can enjoy fresh mutton chops for the killing? Dogs in this section of the country are fast becoming more of a pest than panthers and bears.

The Amelia—The steamer Amelia arrived down from Cowichan yesterday morning and left with the mails and a few passengers for Nanaimo at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The damage to her cross-head was repaired at Cowichan.

Magistrate Retired—The City Council, at its meeting last night, retired Hon. A. F. Pemberton, who since 1854, with a brief interval, has been police magistrate here. Edwin Johnson is rumored as his successor.

Victoria Theatres—Tenders were opened yesterday by the directors of the Royal Victoria Theatre. Eleven bids for the whole work were received and action postponed until Saturday.

Band Is to Give Concert to Help Christmas Cheer

Members of the Shrine Band will give a charity concert in the Shrine Auditorium here next Friday evening to enable the band to collect goods for distribution at Christmas.

Admission to the concert will be by non-perishable goods which will, later, be packed by the bandsmen and made ready for distribution to the needy. The concert is to be followed by a dance and refreshments are to be served.

The distribution of goods at Christmas is an annual undertaking by the bandsmen and they are seeking the support of the public to make the affair a success.

ELECTION DETAILS ARE ARRANGED FOR ESQUIMALT VOTERS

When Esquimalt ratepayers go to the polls on Saturday, January 26, some 1,181 taxpayers will be entitled to cast ballots, it was announced, last night, following the sitting of the Esquimalt Court of Revison on voters' lists.

The list represents a decrease of seventy-four over last year. This was explained by the reason that soldiers in barracks in Esquimalt had not registered this year.

Following the sitting of the court, a council meeting decided that nominations would be received in the Municipal Hall on January 2, with J. R. Collister, 834 Selkirk Avenue, as returning officer, and A. E Cave, 784 Fairview Street, deputy returning officer.

If a poll is required ballots will be cast in the Municipal Hall for district No. 1, and at the corner of Arm Street and Craigflower Road for district No. 2.

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CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

By Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

LIMITING THE PENALTY

In rubber bridge, when a doubled contract is being played whichsurely must go down, the declarer, in choosing his line of play, mus make every effort to keep his penalty down to as few tricks as possible. Unless the play for the smallest possible set seems too unlikely, it is the one which should usually be aopted, even though if a very unfreeen break makes it go wrong the set may go pretty high.

The reasoning of a good declarer in match point duplicate games should be somewhat differer. If, for instance, he is at a sacrifi contract which must be set, his primary interest should be to try to kep the penalty down so that it will not exceed the number of points whh the opponents could score for their game. In other words, if te opponents have a vulnerable gae and can thus score between 600 ad 650 points, the non-vulnerable sacrificer need not care particularly wether he is defeated one, two or three tricks, so long as he does not go down four. If he goes dow four tricks, or 700 points, he has exceeded the value of the opponents game and will almost surely get a bottom score.

This principle of playing for a limited set is shown in South play of the hand below:

East, dealer
East and West vulnerable.

North: ♠ Q J 5 ♥ 8 4 2 ♦ K 9 7 ♣ 10 9 4 3

West: ♠ 8 ♥ A 9 6 5 ♦ J 6 5 4 ♣ K J 6 5

East: ♥ A 6 4 ♥ K Q 10 3 ♦ 8 ♣ A 2

South: ♠ K 10 7 3 2 ♥ J ♦ A Q 10 3 2 ♣ Q 7

The bidding: (Figure after bid refers to numbered explanatory paragraph).

East	South	West	North
1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	♠ (1)
Dbl.	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. A most unusual and extraordinarily unwise bid by North. The only excuse for North's sacrifice bid was the fact that his side was not vulnerable and the opponents were, and the hand was played in a duplicate game with match point scoring. North had been faring badly and decided to gamble on a top score. He knew he was making a sacrifice bid which practically no other team would make, and, assuming the opponents could make their four hearts, that four spades doubled, if down more than 450, would bring him a top-score.

South was thus the declarer at a four-spade doubled contract which was decidedly not of his own choice. After the opening lead of the heart ace was made and the dummy went down, South stopped to count tricks. He immediately noticed that if both the spade and diamond suits broke three and two, he could get out for a one-trick set or 100 points, losing only the two club tricks, one spade trick and one heart trick. However, South further saw that if the heart suit were continued his trump holding would immediately be shortened, and if either or both of his own suits did not break, he would eventually run out of trumps and go down at least four tricks—more than the value of the opponents' vulnerable game.

Knowing almost for a certainty that he and his partner had arrived at a sacrifice contract which practically no other team in the room would get to, South decided to give up any thought or playing for down one or down two, and to play the hand as safely as possible to get out for a three-trick penalty, or 450 points. He knew that minus 450 on the board would bring him as good a score as minus 100 or minus 250, as practically every other team in the game sitting North and South would be minus from 620 to 680.

South, therefore, proceeded to trump the second heart lead and immediately shifted to diamonds, purposely avoiding touching the trump suit and merely attempting to win seven tricks.

He won the diamond king in dummy and now led another low diamond. Whether East trumped or not was immaterial, and the whole play from this point on, with its many possible variations, need not be recounted. Even hasty analysis shows that with the declarer never touching the trump suit and thus losing valuable tempos on the hand, he cannot be prevented from taking seven tricks—either six in trumps and one in diamonds, or five in trumps and two in diamonds, or four in trumps and three in diamonds, depending upon just when the East player ruffs in and whether or not East himself shifts to trumps.

South went down 450, and, just as he had reasoned, he was next to top on the board, losing only to a team which in some inexplicable manner had gotten a plus. Had South played this hand for the minimum set by immediately drawing trumps, he would soon have run out of trumps and would eventually have gone down four tricks or 700 points for a bottom.

TOMORROW'S HAND

East, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

North: ♠ K 9 5 ♥ A 10 8 6 ♦ 8 2 ♣ A 9 8 7

West: ♠ 10 7 4 3 ♥ J 4 ♦ 10 7 3 ♣ 10 6 5 4

East: ♠ A Q 8 2 ♥ K Q 9 7 3 ♦ — ♣ K Q J 2

South: ♠ J 6 ♥ 5 2 ♦ A K Q J 9 6 5 4 ♣ 3

This hand will be discussed in tomorrow's article.

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Hour Parking Law Will Be Enforced

Strict adherence to the hourly parking laws during the Christmas holiday rush is requested by Chief of Police Thomas Heatley.

At certain points the city by-laws prohibit parking of automobiles for more than an hour, and while this measure has not been rigidly enforced during the off-rush hours, the possibility of congestion during the next three weeks makes it imperative that the owners of automobiles take cognizance of the restricted areas and be governed according.

Lacquer work is one of the earliest of the Chinese industrial arts, but there exists no record of its origin.

W. H. Mearns President Of B.C. Fairs' Society

W. J. Bonavia Elected to Post of Secretary-Treasurer—Willows Annual Exhibition Will Be Held From August 17 to 24—Extended One Day

Councillor W. H. Mearns, secretary of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, was elected president of the British Columbia Fairs Association, at the annual meeting, held in Vancouver, yesterday.

Coupled with this announcement was that disclosing the exhibition dates for Victoria. The fair in 1935 will be from August 17 to 24, inclusive, thus setting a new departure at the Willows, the fair being conducted for seven days, instead of six as in the past.

A Sunday intervenes between the dates announced above, which accounts for the seven days actual fair instead of eight as the dates might indicate.

WERE DETERMINED

Mr. Mearns was accompanied to the meeting by Alderman T. W. Hawkins, president of the British Columbia Agricultural Association. When they left here it was with the determination of securing fair dates during August. The month of September has been found unsatisfactory owing to weather conditions, and the fact that the schools have resumed sessions then.

In selecting Mr. Mearns as president, the British Columbia Fairs Association has chosen a man who, for more than a decade, has been prominently identified with exhibitions on the Pacific Coast. He has held many posts of responsibility, not only in Victoria, but in provincial and international organizations.

OTHER OFFICERS

Other officers elected include: D. E. McKenzie, New Westminster, first vice-president; Walter Leek, Vancouver, second vice-president; Mat Hassen, Armstrong, third vice-president, and W. J. Bonavia, Victoria, secretary-treasurer.

The executive includes: W. Waldon, Duncan; W. Mufford, Langley; J. T. Brown, Surrey; Frank Hall, Burnaby; W. Brennan, Kamloops, and E. H. Barton, Chilliwack.

FAIR CIRCUITS

The Victoria fair will be followed by the Vancouver Exhibition, August 28 to September 4. Chilliwack

W. J. BONAVIA

will be from September 10 to 12, and Kamloops on the same dates. The largest of the Interior fairs will be held at Armstrong, September 16 to 19.

Dates for circuit fairs on Vancouver Island include: Fulford, September 6; Coombs, September 11, 12; Duncan, September 13, 14; Lasqueti, September 14, and Saanichton, September 17, 18.

Interior circuit fairs will be held at Harrop, B.C., August 28, and at Edgewood, B.C., September 11.

NEW WINES ARE NOW ON MARKET

Calona Wines Limited, of Kelowna, Announce List in Government Stores

The announcement yesterday that Calona Wines, Limited, of Kelowna, is placing on the shelves of Government liquor stores throughout British Columbia, French and Italian vermouths, brings to a total of seven the number of popular wines now being successfully marketed by this young British Columbia company, and establishes something of a record in the Canadian wine industry.

Less than three years ago Calona Wines, Limited, brought Dr. Bruno Dagna, enological chemist, from Italy, and under his direction carried on interesting experiments to determine the feasibility of manufacturing wine from the surplus crops of grapes, apples and other fruits grown in the Okanagan Valley.

Working in conjunction with Joseph Ghezzi and his son, Carlo Ghezzi, Dr. Dagna has produced in British Columbia from British Columbia products, a champagne, a sparkling burgundy, three types of light wine, and now a vermouth which compares favorably with the imported brands.

In view of the fact that no duty is paid on Calona French and Italian vermouth, and that the company has announced its intention to pass this saving on to the consumer, these products will sell at a price considerably lower than that paid for imported brands.

Widespread interest is being shown in the development of this industry, because its success is so closely linked with the progress of the whole Okanagan Valley.

OKANAGAN FRUIT

In line with the endeavour, which is becoming general throughout the world, to find some profitable use for by-products, the company is utilizing Okanagan fruits which hitherto were practically unsaleable, and the whole industry has benefited tremendously. Not only apples, but surplus fruits of all kinds, which would in all probability have flooded the fresh fruit market with a consequent decline in prices below the profit level, are now finding a real market right at home.

The growing success of this British Columbia wine industry is an example of what may be done in developing the almost unlimited potential wealth of the province by the use of ingenuity and careful planning.

ARE DISPUTING PROPERTY DEAL

Brothers-in-Law Take Matter to Supreme Court—Plot of Ground Located at Keating

In the Supreme Court here yesterday another chapter to the dispute over the ownership of a five-acre plot of ground near Keating, was opened. Duncan MacKinnon, the plaintiff, who is represented by P. J. Sinnott, sets out that while he was living in Vancouver, the defendant, Donald Paterson, who is a brother of the plaintiff's wife, induced him to come to Saanich and take up his residence on this five-acre lot, which had been bequeathed to him by his uncle. The plaintiff claims that he was told by his brother-in-law that he could have the lot if he wished to go on it.

The defendant denies that he gave the property to his brother-in-law. He is represented by H. A. Maclean K.C., with W. A. Brethour as one of the main witnesses, owing to certain of the transactions having been put through his hands.

BUILT HOUSE

The defendant raised money on his life insurance, and also testified to having borrowed considerable money, in order to build on the lot. He valued the house, which was erected, at over $1,800. The plaintiff now wants the defendant to pay him what he spent on the house, or give him possession of the property.

The matter was the subject some months ago of a police proceeding when the principals got into an altercation, which ended in the court with the plaintiff being bound over to keep the peace and not to go on the place.

The taking of evidence was completed yesterday, when the proceedings were adjourned until Wednesday, when the addresses of counsel will be given before Mr. Justice H. B Robertson. Mrs. MacKinnon has been living on the property with her brother since the trouble arose, and testified for the defendant in the case.

SIR JAMES O'GRADY DEAD

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP).—Sir James O'Grady, sixty-eight, Governor of the Falkland Islands and one of the pioneers of the British Labor movement, died today.

FOUR KILLED IN CRASH

HAVANA, Dec. 11 (AP).—Four persons, including G. H. Bunkar, Yonkers, N.Y., were killed in the crash of a passenger plane in the Sierra Maestra Mountains, yesterday, it was definitely learned today.

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J. T. WALTON WILL BE BURIED TODAY

The funeral of the late John Thomas Walton takes place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. E. F. Church conducting the service, and interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

The late Mr. Walton was born in Darlington, England, fifty-nine years ago, and had been residing in Victoria for the past forty years. He was engineer on the old Victoria & Sidney Interurban for fifteen years, until the line closed down; and for the past sixteen years had been engineer at Ormonds, Ltd.

REWARDED FOR BRAVE ACTION

Mayor Leeming Presents Life-Saving Medal to David Hunter at Public Meeting

Prior to the opening of the civic election campaign meeting at the Chamber of Commerce, last night, Mayor David Leeming officiated at a pleasing ceremony, the presentation of a Royal Humane Society medal to David Hunter for life-saving.

Mr. Hunter was on the platform and received the medal, which is the recognition of his brave act by the Royal Canadian Humane Association.

Presenting the medal, the Mayor said: "It is a wonderful thing that a man will risk his own life to save that of another. I am indeed proud to be able to present this medal to you on behalf of the Canadian association."

Mr. Hunter on June 9, 1934, saved George F. Lambert from drowning at Ogden Point Piers. The award was recognized by prolonged applause by the audience.

THIEF SHOWS GREAT DESIRE FOR FLOWERS

Victoria police are searching for a thief who has an apparent weakness for flowers. So great was the robber's desire for chrysanthemums over the week-end, that he broke into the Capitol Greenhouses at 305 St. Charles Street, and stole four dozen blossoms, it was reported.

CARRIES ITS OWN LIGHTS

Viper Fish, Living at Depths of Pacific, Is Very Voracious

Eight hundred and seventy - six fathoms deep is a long way down in the sea, about a mile in fact, but it is at such levels that the viper fish of the British Columbia coast has been found.

Perhaps it is no wonder that a creature living that far beneath the surface of the water carries its own lights with it, though that is really only a rather flippant way of saying that the viper fish has luminous phosphorescent spots dotted on its body.

This British Columbia deep-water fish is of no importance commercially—and that, by the way, doesn't matter very much since Canada's fisheries resources yield something like seventy different species of fish and shellfish, or perhaps a wider variety than comes from the resources of any other country—but it is one of the interesting creatures of the depths.

CHAULIODUS MACOUNI

As a matter of fact, quite a bit remains to be known of Chauliodus macouni, the name by which it is known to scientists, for only comparatively few specimens are taken. It is known, however, that the fish is very voracious and uses long fang-like teeth in its greedy foraging. Its first dorsal fin is high, with the first ray of the fin elongated and filamentous. The indications are that the range of the fish extends to the coast of California.

Another member of the same family, Chauliodus sloanei, is indigenous to the depths of the Atlantic and the Mediterranean. It is voracious like its Pacific relative, with its long teeth and luminous spots, too, but sometimes it apparently falls victim itself to such omnivorous creatures as the cod, for a viper fish was found tucked away in the stomach of a codfish which was taken on Georges Bank, one of the major fishing grounds of the Atlantic Coast.

GIRL GUIDES' MEETING

A meeting of the local Association of Girl Guides will be held at headquarters, Langley Street, tonight, commencing at 8 o'clock.

At the Theatres

BASEBALL STORY AT THE DOMINION

"Death on the Diamond" Shows St. Louis Cardinals—Film Blends Love and Comedy

"Death on the Diamond," gripping detective mystery dealing with weird killings in a baseball team during a pennant season, is the attraction at the Dominion Theatre today.

Written by Cortland Fitzsimmons, author of "70,000 Witnesses," and filmed with the co-operation of the St. Louis Cardinals, the picture is a unique blend of actual baseball, thrills, mystery and uproarious comedy, directed by Edward Sedgwick, noted for his sports pictures of the past.

The shooting of a player, stealing second, before 80,000 screaming fans, weird attacks in the clubhouse, and other fantastic detail is lightened by comedy situations and a love story in which Robert Young and Madge Evans figure as the two principals.

In addition to a notable cast of actors, twenty-five famous baseball players appear in the production, including Bob and Irish Meusel, Ping Bodie, Red Berger and such celebrities of the diamond.

The cast includes C. Henry Gordon, David Landau, De Witt Jennings and Nat Pendleton.

DETROIT PAPER LAVISH IN PRAISE OF PLAYERS

The Scottish Musical Players, who will return to Victoria during Christmas week, are clearly favorites with audiences everywhere across the continent. The Detroit Evening Times in an editorial says: "The gladsome sight of a capacity audience assembled in the Cass Theatre, Saturday night, to hear 'Bonnie Prince Charlie,' the third of the offerings of the Scottish Musical Players, in an engagement which ended Sunday night with a repetition of 'The Cotter's Saturday Night.' It was a beautifully executed tribute and more than once moved the large audience to spontaneous applause."

The players will open in Victoria with a matinee on Wednesday, December 26 (Boxing Day), and during the week will present four plays, which are interspersed with Scottish folk songs, sung in a way that thrill the audiences wherever they are heard.

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AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Capitol — Ginger Rogers in "The Gay Divorcee."

Columbia — "Dark Hazard," starring Edward G. Robinson.

Dominion—"Death on the Diamond," with Madge Evans.

Playhouse—"Of Human Bondage," featuring Leslie Howard.

"DARKTOWN SCANDALS" AT EMPIRE SHORTLY

The colored musical revue, "Darktown Scandals," which will start at the Empire Theatre, Thursday, comes to Victoria from Seattle where it has been playing for the past week to crowded houses.

The big cast of fifty persons will arrive in Victoria on the boat from Seattle and after their four-day engagement here, will go to Vancouver, where they are dated for a six-day engagement.

Darktown Scandals promises one of the best colored shows ever presented at this house. The Scandals carry a twelve-piece orchestra, fifteen girls in the chorus, a male sextette and the balance are principals.

The show opens with a scene from Dixie along the Mississippi River, introduces the principals and specialties and ends with a real negro wedding scene.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE A dramatic struggle between heart and mind is presented in RKO-Radio's picturization of W. Somerset Maugham's classic, "Of Human Bondage." Starring Leslie Howard, the film depicts the strange love of a worthy man for an unworthy woman and the revolt of his mind against the subjection imposed by his heart. Bette Davis plays the feminine lead, and Frances Dee, Kay Johnson and Reginald Denny are also cast.

DOMINION THEATRE "The Gay Divorcee," now at the Dominion Theatre, co-starring Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, presents the complicated and hilarious predicament of a young lady who believes her boy friend is a "professional flirt" and who therefore tried to teach him the error of his ways. The complications are aided and abetted by those inimitable funsters, Alice Brady and Edward Everett Horton.

COLUMBIA THEATRE W. R. Burnett, author of Edward G. Robinson's new First National starring vehicle, "Dark Hazard," now showing at the Columbia Theatre, also wrote the story that made Robinson famous on the screen, "Little Caesar," but until "Dark Hazard" went into production the two had never met.

TRANSFERRED TO TURKEY

TOKIO, Dec. 11 (CP).—Appointment of the Japanese minister to Canada, Iyemasa Tokugawa, as ambassador to turkey, was announced today following a Cabinet meeting. At Instanbul, Mr. Tokugawa will succeed Viscount Kimitomo Mushakoju, named as the new ambassador to Germany.

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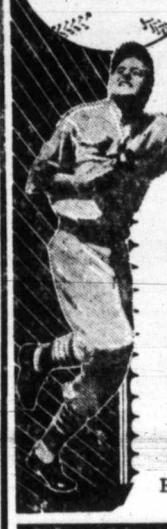
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In Canada, the Conservative Government succeeded a party which, when it left office, had succeeded in having the United States and other world countries place against Canada the highest tariffs they had ever raised against Canadian goods. This despite the Liberals' "talk of freer and wider markets and enlarged trade," he said.

At that time conditions in Canada were at their worst. There was an adverse trade balance of $100,000,000, along with a "legacy of increased debts and increased unemployment."

"Right off," Prime Minister Bennett said, "we voted $20,000,000 to afford employment and direct relief." To assist trade, the Government had raised the tariff against those nations which had high tariffs against Canada, and prevented dumping.

"And so we provided more employment in our industries and for our people, while the Liberal party interrupted and cried out against what we were doing," he declared. The increased tariffs had the effect of swinging the balance of trade, along with other measures taken by the Government.

CHANGED BALANCE

"We have redressed this unfavorable balance," Mr. Bennett said, and he asserted that Canada's apparent favorable trade balance for the present year was $200,000,000.

Agreements had been negotiated with many nations "on favorable terms." His party had "secured freedom of trade while our enemies talked." And he advised his hearers to accept this as fact.

"There never has been a Government so free from politics as this Government of the last four years," declared Premier Bennett. "We can look back and cast up the record for a period such as the world has never seen before." Comparisons are made of the trade of this country today and that of 1929, and the statement is made that it has declined.

Of course it has declined, but what has been that decline in comparison with that of the rest of the world," he asked.

"Someone has said," he declared, "that I am trying to make the Ottawa agreements the main issue in the next election. They will certainly be an important factor, and you have the situation clearly before you. On one hand you have the record of achievement and on the other nine years of promises, with failure to accomplish anything."

The Marketing Act, Mr. Bennett asserted, offered the farmers of Canada "an opportunity for co-operative effort" which would work out to their great benefit.

Having outlined the act's function, Mr. Bennett declared his Government's intention of sticking by it. "We'll widen, and not narrow it, as the days go by," he promised.

In the social services, as along other lines, the Conservative party's outlook was a forward one, he said. This was exemplified by its appointment of the Parliamentary committee on price spread and mass buying, and its later conversion of the committee into a Royal commission.

"And when the commission has concluded its work," he told his audience, "we will enact necessary legislation, within the province of Parliament." Until the commission had wound up its investigation, this was as far as Mr. Bennett cared to go in discussing the subject.

URGE RETURN OF REVENUES

Taxpayers Pass Resolution of Protest Against Provincial Government

Taxpayers, at a public meeting, held in the Chamber of Commerce, last night, voiced their protest against the Provincial Government's lack of response to municipal authorities in their requests for a restoration of grants.

At the conclusion of the meeting, at which the Mayor, aldermen and trustees reviewed the work of the council and school board, and other candidates in the civic election also spoke, the gathering was turned over for a free discussion of the problems facing the city.

Capt. Burges Gadsden sponsored a motion, which was passed, urging the Government to restore the grants to which the city had a just claim. In speaking to the motion, Captain Gadsden paid tribute to the work done by the Mayor and council in the efforts put forward to secure a return of the grants.

REVIEWS SITUATION

Mayor Leeming briefly reviewed the situation in respect to the revenues the city had lost and the new burdens that had been imposed by the Provincial Government, and thanked the meeting for its support.

Frank LeRoy and J. M. Kirkpatrick both voiced some criticism that a separate public meeting had not been called to discuss the matter.

The Mayor's answer to this was that the Union of British Columbia Municipalities, representing 85 per cent of the people of this province, and the City Council, separately, had approached the Government frequently for a restoration of grants and had received "no" as an answer.

The Mayor suggested that the citizens themselves call a public meeting instead of the council, as it would indicate that the public itself resented the attitude taken by the Provincial Government in the matter.

J. A. McLAREN IS CALLED TO REST

Victoria Resident for Forty Years Succumbs at Family Residence in City

There passed away, last night, at the family residence, 723 Powderly Avenue, James Arthur McLaren, aged seventy years. Born in Glasgow, Mr. McLaren lived for some time in Denver before coming to Victoria forty years ago.

He is survived by his widow, four sons, James, Inez Drive, Saanich; Monteith, Mary Street, Victoria; Archie, at home; and Alec, Inez Drive; and four daughters, Mrs. C. L. Ross, Victoria West; Mrs. J. Sykes, Inez Drive; Mrs. W. Donaldson, Cook Street, and Miss Patricia McLaren, Inez Drive, and one sister, Mrs. F. A. Emerson, Cleveland, Ohio.

The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Announcements

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FORMER RESIDENT OF CITY CALLED TO REST

C. R. Browne, a former resident of Victoria, passed away on Sunday in Tacoma, it was learned here last night. Prior to taking up his residence in Tacoma some years ago, Mr. Browne lived in Victoria for many years and at one time was the proprietor of the old Imperial Hotel, which was situated at View and Douglas Streets.

When the Klondyke gold rush took place, he, with a party of friends, was one of the first to make the trip on the Ss. Islander.

Mr. Browne had a host of friends in the city who will regret to hear of his death, as he was a frequent visitor here. He is survived by his widow and two sons, George and Charles, both of Tacoma.

REV. C. OLSON GIVES SERMONS

Grace Lutheran Church Celebrates Second Day of Anniversary

On the second day of the observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Grace English Lutheran Church here on Sunday, members of the congregation heard two inspiring messages from Rev. Carl J. Olson, pastor of Central Lutheran Church, Seattle. Rev. J. K. Unsworth, D.D., also spoke in the morning.

In the morning sermon, Mr. Olson told of the great need in the world today for the three "P's," as set forth in the Bible—peace, passion that would be governed, controlled and directed in the interests of love, and power. He went on to mention that the day was being observed in the United States as a national Bible day; also that the day marked the four hundredth anniversary of Martin Luther's translation of the Bible.

COMMON WEALTH

Dr. Unsworth said his presence at the service was a testimony to the religious fellowship that existed beyond the bounds of any one denomination. While diversities in religious life and worship seemed, at this stage, to be necessary, he explained that each denomination might share in the spiritual wealth of all the others.

The speaker declared that Martin Luther, the peculiar heritage of the Lutheran churches, belonged to all churches. In the same way, John Wesley, the Methodist; John Knox and John Calvin, Presbyterians; John Robinson, the Congregationalist, and Charles Spurgeon, the Baptist, were a heritage also of the Lutheran churches.

CONTACTING GOD

In the evening, Mr. Olson spoke of the great changes that take place in humans when they come in contact with God. To illustrate his sermon, the minister referred to the experience of St. Paul and Silas and their jailer at Philippi in Macedonia. In answer to the prayers of St. Paul and Silas, an earthquake crumpled the jail and loosened the prisoners, and drove the jailer to the verge of suicide. St. Paul reached him in time, however, and told him of the great power of the Lord. As a result of this revelation, the jailer was converted to the Christion religion. Mr. Olson explained that great things were being wrought even today and were constantly changing the lives of humans.

ISSUES WARNING AGAINST THIEVES

Police Chief Thomas Heatley Gives Advice to Victoria Residents and Businessmen

In view of the number of instances of burglary reported to the city police during the past week or ten days, Chief of Police Thomas Heatley again appeals to the citizens and businessmen to make their places secure against entry by thieves.

A darkened home is an invitation to the prowler. Leave a light or two burning when away from home during the evening. Don't put the front or back door key under a mat. That's the first place a prowler looks for a means of entry. See that all lower windows are securely locked, especially those in the basement. Coal chutes offer another means of access for the thief.

Those are some of the things the chief advises in his campaign to blot out petty thieving in Victoria's residential section.

FASTEN ALL DOORS

The chief also has a word of warning to the businessman who, sometimes, is not over careful when he leaves his shop for the night. He sometimes forgets to fasten front or back entrances. Patrolmen on their beats may find a door unlocked, but they may be just a few minutes too late, and in the meantime the thief may have got away with valuable stock. The police officers find shop doors open at night.

Concerning strangers in the neighborhood, the chief advises they be reported to police headquarters even if they look only the least bit suspicious. It's better to play safe than be sorry, is the chief's argument. He appeals to the citizens generally to assist the police wherever possible to protect the property of the individual.

EIGHT BURNED TO DEATH

TORTOSA, Spain, Dec. 10 (AP).—Eight persons today were reported burned to death and several injured when fire destroyed a room in the town hall where a motion picture was being filmed. The fire was confined to the room and the building was not otherwise damaged.

City and District

Lake Hill Centre—Lake Hill Community Centre will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday at 8:30 p.m.

Liberal Meeting—The Ward Two Liberal Association will hold its monthly meeting at headquarters tonight at 8 o'clock. Speakers have been arranged for the evening.

By-Law Approved—On the advice of D. G. Tate, acting commissioner for North Vancouver district, the Provincial Government, yesterday, approved a tax sale lands exchange by-law for that area.

To Show Travel Film—"Come to Scotland," a nine-reel travle film, will be shown this evening at the Memorial Hall, at 8:15 o'clock, sponsored by the Men's Guild of the Christ Church Cathedral.

Is Made Assessor—The Provincial Government approved yesterday of the choice of D. J. Matheson as assessor for Prince Rupert, ratifying a by-law prepared by Commissioner W. J. Alder making the appointment to fill a vacancy at the northern city.

City School Board — The City School Board will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow. This will be the last before the civic election. A special session will be held toward the latter part of the month to wind up the business for the year.

Fuel Commission—Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald will open an inaugural sitting of the British Columbia Royal Commission on costs and profits in the fuel industry at 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, in the Appeal Court room, Victoria Courthouse. C. H. O'Halloran will act as counsel to the inquiry.

Authors to Meet—The December meeting of Victoria and Islands Branch, Canadian Authors' Association, will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Miss M. Eugenie Perry, and will take the form of a Christmas party, to which all members of the local branch are invited.

Meeting Tonight — The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Little Theatre Association will be held in the clubrooms on Burdett Avenue, tonight, at 8 o'clock. All associate members and their friends are invited to attend. After the business meeting, the entertainment will consist of three plays.

Philharmonic Society — For the next two weeks, members of the chorus who are now rehearsing "Il Trovatore" will meet in the Violet Fowkes' Music Studio, in the Mahon Building, Government Street, on Tuesday and Thursday, as usual. The orchestral group will also meet on Wednesday at the same place.

Extend Patronage—The Esquimalt Council, last night, granted use of its name to the Esquimalt High School Dramatic Club as patrons of its forthcoming concert. Final passage was given to the annual money loan by-law authorizing the borrowing of $10,000 to care for expenditures until December 31.

Coming Here—J. C. Campbell, Ottawa, director of National Parks publicity for the Dominion Government, will come to Victoria in February to co-operate with the Vic- and Island Publicity Bureau in taking motion pictures of Vancouver Island, to be shown in many parts of the world.

Oak Bay Men's Guild—The annual business meeting of the St. Mary's, Oak Bay, Men's Guild will be held in St. Mary's Hall, on Thursday next, at 8 p.m., when there will be the election of officers for the coming year. Afterwards, Reeve R. W. Mayhew, of Oak Bay, will give a talk on "Oak Bay Municipal Affairs."

To Give Address — Rev. Paul B. Peterson, from Chicago, president of the Russian and Eastern European Mission, will speak and show personally taken motion pictures of the missionary work on these fields in the Elbethel Hall, on Courtney Street, near Douglas Street, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

Remanded to Wednesday—Alexander Molesworth, charged with having broken and entered the home of Reginald Woods, 1125 Faithful Street, and of having committed theft therefrom, was remanded until Wednesday in the city police court yesterday. The youth, who was represented by A. Nairn Robertson, is only eighteen years of age.

More Voters—The Oak Bay voters' list for the coming municipal elections will contain a few more names than were on the list yast year. There are about 2,820 this year. The court of revision, composed of Reeve R. W. Mayhew, Councillor J. T. Goodlake and Councillor William Ellis, sat last evening and disposed of the application to be added to the list.

Jewelry Stolen—Climbing into the home of Clifford Denham, 625 Superior Street, by way of a small window, thieves stole a large quantity of jewelry, early Sunday morning, it was reported to city police. A cameo brooch, two pearl brooches, a bar pin with two diamonds, three necklaces, a cameo bracelet, a pearl golf pin, a bracelet of garnets and a necklace of garnets were taken.

Suffers Injury—Miss M. Cross, 402 Bay Street, received a slight injury to her leg, Sunday, when she was struck by an automobile at the intersection of Bay and Cook Streets. According to a report to city police, the woman was struck by an auto driven by Mrs. E. Bassett, West Saanich, after it had collided with another machine operated by P. B. Alexander, 3208 Shelbourne Street.

To Start Classes—Provincial physical training classes for unemployed boys and girls of sixteen years of age or over will definitely be started in the city this week, officials of the British Columbia Department of Education said yesterday. Ian Eisenhardt, director of the course, is expected shortly from Vancouver to make final arrangements with a Victoria committee, under Mayor Leeming. Local instructors are to be engaged.

Street Hold-Up—J. Stevenson, 1925 Monteith Street, reported to Oak Bay police he was held up on Monteith Street shortly before midnight, Saturday, and relieved of $2. Mr. Stevenson told police he had just left the bus and while walking along the street was accosted by a man he thought was armed. The man, Mr. Stevenson believes, had a companion waiting in a light delivery truck, which he noticed leaving the spot just after he was robbed.

Perfect Hand—Probably the name of the street had something to do with it, but in any case, Desmond McKinnon, 1465 Woodlands Road, yesterday, enjoyed telling friends of the perfect hand he held while playing bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mann, 2709 Bridge Street. He held thirteen spades, bid seven, and won without playing a card. He merely laid the whole hand down, and the game was over. Opponents and partner gasped at the extraordinary luck.

Propose Swine Scheme—Not to be outdone by sheep and beef cattle breeders of the province, the British Columbia Swine Breeders' Association met Hon. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, in Vancouver, yesterday. A marketing scheme for hogs and pork is believed tentatively under discussion. On Wednesday, Mr. MacDonald will open the livestock sale in connection with the Pacific Winter Fair, Vancouver, returning to Victoria, today, for a regular Cabinet meeting, before retracing his steps to the Mainland.

Hurt in Crash—Mrs. J. Maxwell and Miss Joyce Maxwell, of Derby Road, received minor injuries when the automobile in which they were riding collided head-on with another car at the intersection of Hillside and Blackwood Avenues. Mrs. Maxwell was taken to Royal Jubilee Hospital for attention, from where she was soon able to proceed to her home. The driver of the car in which the women were riding was John Maxwell, while A. Hesson, Glanford Avenue, was operator of the other machine.

Adoption Order Sought — In Supreme Court chambers here, yesterday, application was made to Mr. Justice H. B. Robertson by J. R. McIllree, representing local residents, who wished to adopt a baby which they have taken care of ever since the birth of the child in hospital. Recommendations in favor of the granting of the order for adoption as being in the interests of the child were submitted by Dr. Richard Felton, city medical officer, and Dr. A. C. Sinclair. The court will look into the matter before announcing a decision.

Given Jail Term — Mary Edith Wright, who has made three appearances before the police magistrate of the city on charges of having assaulted her husband, was sentenced to five days in jail by the magistrate yesterday. A counter charge laid by her against her husband was dismissed. The husband appeared in court with an axe, a mattock, a hatchet, a long knife and two short pieces of box lumber. All but the box lumber was eliminated from the arsenal on the ground that the other things had not entered into the latest conflict. Long tales of infelicities were retailed to the court by each side.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Women Working for Candidate's Success At Municipal Polls

Local Council Throwing Support Behind Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin as School Trustee—Arrangements for Meeting in January Advanced

THE approaching municipal elections and the participation therein of Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin as the Local Council of Women's officially endorsed candidate for office of school trustee; and arrangements for the annual meeting of the Local Council to be held in January were the two principal matters before the women's organization at its regular monthly meeting, yesterday afternoon, at the Y.W.C.A.

In her brief address to the members, Mrs. MacLaurin pointed out that women, as the world's most experienced spenders (statistics had shown that 71 per cent of the buying of market produce and other domestic requirements was done by women) had a keen sense of values, and that this applied to education as well as to other matters. They knew what they wanted when it came to buying good teachers, good school buildings, and good education; therefore, would it not be wise for them to be represented by one of their own sex on the school board?

PIONEER EFFORTS

Mrs. C. C. Spofford, Local Council president, recalled the pioneer efforts of the society in its campaign to make women eligible for membership on school boards in British Columbia, and the members laughed heartily when she read from the minutes of a school board meeting of the nineties the comment of one of the members that "he thought there would be great difficulty in finding women sufficiently well educated to fill the position."

Victoria's Local Council efforts along these lines ante-dated the National Council by fifteen years.

Although Victoria had not had a woman school trustee for about ten years, the records showed that the following had served in that capacity since the amendment to the School Act, passed by the Legislature in 1895, on motion of Colonel Baker: Mrs. Gordon Grant, Mrs. William Grant, Mrs. Justin Gilbert, Mrs. Margaret Jenkins, Mrs. Coady Johnson, Mrs. Frank Andrews and Mrs. C. C. Spofford. Mrs. MacLaurin promised, if elected, to try to uphold the standard set by these earlier women school trustees.

ANNUAL MEETING

Details of the arrangements for the annual meeting in January were entrusted to the sub-committee. Among those who are to be asked to address some of the sessions are: Mrs. Rex Eaton, who, going from Vancouver, was asked to represent the Victoria Local Council at the annual meeting of the National Council of Women, held this year, and Mrs. R. P. Steeves, M.P.P. Invitations will also be sent to the Provincial president, Mrs. A. C. Bagley, and presidents of all local councils.

Nominations were submitted as follows:

President, Mrs. C. C. Spofford; first vice-president, Mrs. W. J. H. Holmes; vice-presidents, Mrs. W. Llewellyn Thomas, Mrs. J. L. White, Mrs. V. S. MacLachlan, Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin, Mrs. Bertha Parsons; recording secretary, Mrs. A. E. Hopkins; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. C. Ross; treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Gibson; conveners, education, Mrs. W. E. H. Godson and Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin; League of Nations, Mrs. Alan Campbell and Mrs. Blanche Bird; child welfare committee convener has to be nominated.

RESOLUTIONS

Among the resolutions to come before the council meeting will be one from the Soroptimist Club, which has already been given considerable publicity, protesting against the change in the Elections Act compelling married women to register on the voters' list under the husband's name; and one from the James Bay Parent-Teacher Association, favoring development of an additional playground for children in the Outer Wharf district.

The proceedings opened with a standing tribute to the memory of Mrs. R. S. Day, one of the pioneer presidents of the Local Council of Women, who passed away recently. Mrs. Spofford supplemented this by a little personal tribute in which she recalled Mrs. Day's activities in the council.

Correspondence included a reminder from Mrs. Mead Robbins, of the Royal Oak Women's Institute, of the effort which is being made by the Queen Alexandra Solarium to raise funds necessary for the purchase of an X-ray machine. Later the council passed a donation of $5 to the fund.

Another letter was from the general manager of RKO Distributing Agency of Canada, announcing the release of "Anne of Green Gables," the first in a series of "super-family" pictures of Canadian production and Canadian authorship, and Mrs. Thomas, convener of cinemas, noted that this would be shown locally during Christmas week at the Capitol Theatre. Correspondence was read from the Universal Picture Corporation in reply to the communication protesting the showing of "Life Returns," this announcing that the producers had no intention of showing anything that was contrary to public sentiment.

In response to a letter from the Provincial Council asking for Victoria Local Council's nominations for officers for the Provincial, the following names were passed: Mrs. A. C. Bagley, renomination for president; vice-president, Mrs. C. C. Spofford, succeeding Miss Crease; recording secretary-treasurer, Miss Stevens, North Vancouver; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Murray, New Westminster.

In giving the report of the recent bridge-luncheon, Mrs. MacLaurin expressed thanks to all who had helped to make the event a success.

Dr. Jardine reported for the committee on citizenship that forty women had taken voters' lists and were canvassing voters in behalf of Mrs. MacLaurin.

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Certificates Presented to Music Pupils

Mrs. Hebden Gillespie presented certificates and awards of the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music to a number of Miss Marie George's pupils at the piano recital given in her studio, 1271 Mackenzie Street, on Saturday evening. The children were impressed with the importance and significance of music, and reminded that it was much easier to acquire the technique in youth than later in life.

The programme included numbers by Dorothy Hudson, Mary Jones, Morris O'Donoghue, Brenda Fisher, Elvet Jones, Margaret McMartin, Barbara O'Donoghue, Mary Carman, Janet Hodson, Tom McMartin and Betty O'Donoghue. Accompanied by Miss George, Kathleen Redgrave Lavell sang Brahm's Lullaby and a Swedish folk song, "When I Was Seventeen." Dr. W. W. Bryce, also accompanied by Miss George, gave two violin selections: Schubert's "Serenade," and "Berceuse," from "Joselyn."

The rooms were decorated with chrysanthemums in gold and bronze and mauve, and Mrs. George assisted her daughter in receiving their many guests.

Plectral Group To Give Concert Tomorrow Night

The Victoria Plectral Orchestra, under the direction of George J. Dyke, will give a concert in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, tomorrow evening, commencing at 8:15 o'clock. The orchestra will play fourteen numbers in the splendid programme selected by Mr. Dyke.

Probably, the most outstanding among the numbers chosen, will be five dances characteristic of as many nationalities. Hungarian Dance number six by Brahm, Norwegian Dance number two, Polish Dance, Spanish Dance and the Russian Trepak from Tschaikowski's "Nut Cracker Suite." There will also be the favored "Light Cavalry Overture," by Suppe. Other items on the programme, which will be of interest to the public of Victoria, are "The Lieutenant-Governor's March," composed by Mr. Percy Scott and dedicated to Hon. J. W. Fordham Johnson, and "The Phantom Regiment," by the same composer and dedicated to Bandmaster Highfield, who plays the double bass in this orchestra. Other numbers include the Russian song, "The Volga Boatman" and "Waltz and Simple Confession," by Thome. Mr. Dyke will give a short history of each number as it is introduced.

Assisting the orchestra will be the following artists: Mrs. H. R. Dawe (soprano), Robert Husband (tenor), and Bert Cartwright (violin). This concert is being sponsored by St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and tickets can be obtained from Fletcher Bros.' Music Store, or from Little & Taylor, jewelers, Douglas Street.

The four great rivers of India are the Indus, the Ganges, the Brahmaputra, and the Irrawaddy, the last-named in Burma.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The girl chum says that grinding noise is just the action of the zipper on the Christmas purse.

Clubs and Societies

Loyal True Blues

Capital City No. 303, Loyal True Blues, met recently in the Orange Hall. It was decided to hold a Christmas tree and tea on December 21, in the Orange Hall, for members and children. On Wednesday evening there will be a shower at the home of Mrs. Joyce, 1036 Caledonia Avenue, for gifts for the children of the Loyal Protestant Home. The officers for 1935 were elected as follows: Worthy mistress, Mrs. Mae Doherty; deputy mistress, Mrs. Caroline Songhurst; chaplain, Mrs. Eva Aspinwall; recording secretary, Miss Lillie Mason; treasurer, Mrs. Margaret Joyce; director of ceremonies, Miss Emily Aspinwall; inside tyler, Mrs. Maud Cave; outside tyler, Mrs. McCallum; committee, Mrs. Warswick, Mrs. Groves, Mrs. Gallop, Mrs. Cave, Mrs. Wright; pianist, Mrs. Groves; auditors, Mrs. Mee and Mrs. Gallop. The contest at the sale of work, on Saturday, resulted as follows: Chicken dinner, Mrs. H. Baker, 1250 Denman Street; box of candy and cushion, Miss Muriel Ross, Balmoral Road.

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Business Women Meet

The Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club met last evening at their clubrooms, the president, Mrs. M. Hall, in the chair. The members stood in silent sympathy with Miss Josephine Dauphinee, the national president, whose mother passed away on Sunday in Vancouver. Mrs. Hall and Miss Richardson will represent the club at the dinner to be held in Nanaimo by the Business and Professional Women's Club of that city. Preparations were made for the Christmas dinner to be held on December 17, when Miss Hilda Hesson will give an address on "The Golden Isles of the Caribbean." The members asknowledged with thanks the gift of a painting from Mrs. Rose Willis.

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Jolly-Eight Club

The Jelly-Eight Club met recently at the home of Miss Joan Read, Drake Avenue, when prizes were won by Miss Iris Noel and Miss Ruth Hansen. Members present were Misses Ida Casilio, Ruth Hansen, Irene MacDonald, Elfreda Hughes, Lily Mason, J. Kent, Dorothy Blair and I. Noel. This concludes the bi-weekly meetings of the club until after the New Year, the next meeting to be held at the home of Miss Ida Casilio, Carroll Street.

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Purple Star Lodge

Victoria Purple Star Lodge, No. 104, held their social meeting recently in the Orange Hall. Worthy Mistress Mrs. E. Smith presiding, assisted by Deputy Mistress Mrs. Baron. A report of the bazaar was given by Mrs. Jennings. A social was held under the convenership of Mrs. Baron and her committee. The winners of the game were Mrs. Edmonds and Mrs. Baker, housie-housie; Mrs. Trousdale and Mrs. Smith, peanut race; Mrs. Crawford and Mr. Rogers, bean contest.

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Britannia Lodge

Britannia Lodge, No. 206, L.O.B.A., met recently in the Orange Hall, Worthy Mistress Mrs. Miller presiding, assisted by Mrs. Burke. After a short business meeting, a mock auction was held by Mrs. Latham, and refreshments were served by Mrs. J. Murray and G. Hay. The next meeting will be held on December 18, when the new officers will be installed. All members are asked to attend.

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St. Mark's W.A.

An important meeting of St. Mark's W.A. will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Parish Hall. The annual five hundred party and turkey drive will be held on Friday at 8 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Turkeys and chickens will be given as prizes. Tickets may be obtained from Mr. W. Bridges and Mr. Arthur Matchem.

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Native Daughters of B.C.

The monthly business meeting of the Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, will be held tomorrow in the K. of P. Hall, Broad Street. Following the business meeting an initiation ceremony will be held. All members are asked to attend.

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Silver Tea

A silver tea will be held at the home of Mrs. D. Clark, 3135 Quadra Street, under the auspices of Bethel No. 2, Order of Job's Daughters, today, from 3 to 5:30 p.m. There will be a musical programme. Members and friends are cordially invited.

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St. Mary's W.A.

St. Mary's W.A. will hold a concert and dramatic entertainment on Friday at 8 p.m. in the hall, Yale Street.

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Conservative Club

The Victoria Women's Conservative Association will hold a business meeting on Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

Votes $10 to Scholarship Foundation

The sum of $10 was last night voted by the Jubilee Nurses' Alumnae to the Florence Nightingale Foundation Fund, to which nurses the world over contribute. The Canadian fund is used to support a scholarship which sends a Canadian nurse to England for special training.

Miss Jean Moore, president, was in the chair at the meeting, which took place at the Jubilee Hospital nurses' home. Plans for the distribution of Christmas cheer in the Alumnae ward at the hospital were discussed, and arrangements were also discussed for an informal social evening to take place on January 14, when articles left over from the bazaar will be auctioned off. A telephone bridge is to be held on February 10.

The next meeting of the Alumnae will be the annual meeting, to take place in March.

"THE CHILD"

By REGINALD H. WIGGINS, M.D., C.M., L.M.C.C.

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3. Protect me from disease and infection.
4. Teach me the benefits of sunshine, fresh air, cleansing baths and sufficient rest.
5. Guide my mind in the way of right, truth and health.
6. Teach me to obey, that I may know the value of discipline in later life; to be honest and sincere; to control my temper and to love my fellow man.
7. Keep me from evil thoughts and harmful, useless habits, and lead me into the light of positive thinking, wholesome living and genuine friends.
8. Your love for me I reckon by the wisdom of your care.
9. Take me into your confidence and discuss with me life's realities, as I will benefit thereby and acquire knowledge of life.
10. Remember that my future depends on the guidance, the care and training you give me now. Try to be patient, as I have had little experience of life, and please, Mummy, be consistent.

Your reward will be the knowledge that all through my life it will ever be Mother and Father first, and that whatever I become, my success will be due to the time and the trouble you so freely gave me for my protection, my care, and training. When your active years are over I will consider it my privilege to return the care and protection that was so cheerfully given to me.

Remember, dear Mother and Father, that we are the greatest of your resources. You can never rightly be called poor while you have us.

Tomorrow's article, "The Young Child's Mind."

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Weddings

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In the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends, the wedding took place last evening in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Crowe, Gosworth Road, of their eldest daughter, Elizabeth, to Mr. Gilbert Stancombe, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Stancombe, Lyall Street, Esquimalt. Rev. J. H. A. Warr conducted the service, and the wedding music was played by Mr. E. Mutch, and as the register was being signed, his daughter, Miss Emma Mutch, sang a solo. Mr. Crowe gave his daughter in marriage, and she wore a charming frock of wine colored chiffon velvet with a matching turban, and a corsage bouquet of bridal roses. Red and green featured the decorations throughout the house, and during the service, the bride and groom stood beneath an arch of chrysanthemums and greenery. Mr. and Mrs. Stancombe will make their home in Esquimalt.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Bazaar at Duncan Nets $600 for Hospital Fund

DUNCAN, Dec. 10.—The annual Community bazaar held Saturday in aid of the King's Daughters Hospital, under the auspices of the hospital W.A., was once more a huge success, the sum of $600 being made, with expenses of under $25. Mrs. G. H. Savage, president of the W.A., had general supervision of bazaar plans. The balance of the debt on the new Women's Ward will be paid off at once, and a substantial balance will remain in hand toward any work chosen for the next year's objective.

Mrs. John Gibb, Mrs. E. W. Neel and Mrs. H. F. Prevost were in charge of the contest. St. Peter's and St. Andrew's W.A. had a joint stall at which cooked food was sold. The Junior King's Daughters also sold home cooking, under the direction of Winnie Campbell, Rona MacDonald, Muriel Bonsall, Florence Evans, Phyllis Manzer, Audrey Lovell and Mrs. E. Robson. Dogwoods Chapter, I.O.D.E., had an attractive handkerchief stall in charge of Misses Q. Kennett, J. Gooding, E. Creighton and A. Powel. St. Edward's Altar Society had a lovely lavender stall managed by Mesdames H. Marsh, H. P. Swan, Considine, A. B. Slee and Misses R. McGuire, A. Weicker and K. Brown.

OTHER STALLS

Cowichan Chapter sold delicious looking Christmas cakes and puddings, Mrs. W. R. Russell, Mrs. J. B. Green, Mrs. C. R. Downman and Mrs. H. R. Garrard being in charge. Miss L. Kingston and Miss M. Wynne sold cut flowers and plants. The W.A. to Cowichan Branch, Canadian Legion, had a pie stall in charge of Mesdames F. Hassell, G. G. Jarvis, J. L. A. Gibbs, W. H. Purver and J. E. Saunders.

The Hospital Auxiliary needlework stall was managed by Mrs. R. A. Thorpe and Mrs. H. W. McKenzie. First Cowichan Rangers sold home-made sweets, under the direction of Misses D. Lamb, P. Dwyer and M. Owen, and Mesdames A. X. Rey, T. C. Robson and G. Colk were in charge of the combined Institutes' stall.

Mr. R. Hepenstal's steeplechase proved popular. He was assisted by Mrs. K. F. Duncan and Mrs. H. N. Watson. Mrs. John Gibb, Mrs. W. E. Corfield and Mr. W. H. Purver were kept busy all afternoon running the "Bingo."

Scattered Circle, King's Daughters, helped greatly by undertaking all the tea arrangements. Mrs. A. Day was in charge, assisted by Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. W. P. Thompson and Mrs. W. M. Prevost. Mrs. R. Coates was in charge of tables and waitresses. Miss M. E. Wilson sold tea tickets, and the waitresses were Misses Ann Whittome, Betty Russell and Lorna Creighton.

PRIZE WINNERS

Prize winners and prizes follow: Mrs. J. Evans (Koksilah), quilt made by Mrs. E. Lamming; George Clough, hamper; A. I. Leggatt, tablecloth; Miss N. Dwyer, purse; Mrs. H. Evans, blue lunch set; Mrs. R. Hatton (Cowichan Lake), pillow slips; Mrs. A. E. Price, lemon squeezer; Mrs. F. Day, lamp; Mrs. N. McIvor, eiderdown; Mrs. W. P. Thompson, brass bowl; Mrs. L. C. Knocker (Cowichan Station), embroidered bag; Miss P. Petch, tablecloth; Mrs. E. de Labilliere, picture; Mrs. B. C. Walker, safety razor; Peggy Saunders, hot water bottle; Mrs. P. Sweatman, china basket; Miss Shand, alarm clock; Mrs. A. Dunne, blue bowl; Mrs. A. M. Hodding, hot water bottle; Mrs. Codville, thermometer; Mrs. W. M. Maclachlan, picture; F. R. Hall, box of apples; Mrs. H. Bonsall (Westholme), plant; Miss V. Findlay, sack of potatoes; Mrs. A. Sherman, cups and saucers; Miss M. Naylor, bath towel; G. H. Fleetwood (Cowichan Station), cushion; W. H. Truesdale, bridge cloth; K. Castley (Youbou), thermometer; Mrs. C. B. Mains, box of apples, and Miles Neel, electric heater.

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Rehearsal Of Cantata Successful

Centennial Church Choir had a special rehearsal after the evening service last Sunday, of the cantata, "The Story of Bethlehem," by John Ebernezer West, to be presented in the church at a twilight recital at 3:30 p.m. next Sunday.

J. W. Buckler, the conductor, was pleased with the result of the rehearsal, and promises Victoria's music lovers an intelligent rendering of this story set to music, which helps to convey a more vivid realization of the proclamation and fulfillments of the Saviour's birth and what it meant for the world.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter

The Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter will meet this evening at 8 o'clock, at headquarters.

Mary Croft Chapter

Mary Croft Esquimalt Chapter held its business meeting yesterday afternoon, at headquarters, with Mrs. W. H. Booth, the regent, presiding. Standing votes of sympathy were extended to the family of the late Mrs. R. S. Day, and to Mrs. J. S. H. Matson and family in their sad bereavement. Calendars have been sent to the Esquimalt Municipal Hall, Lampson Street School and the Boy Scouts. Mrs. R. P. Matheson, educational secretary, asked the members to support the play to be held on December 20 and 21, in the auditorium of Lampson Street School. A successful shower of gifts for the chapter's two adopted children at the Solarium, and for needy children in Esquimalt, was held following the meeting. A donation of $10 was made for educational work.

Household Helpers' Course Concluded

The six weeks' training course for household helpers will come to a close this week at the Y.W.C.A., and on Saturday afternoon the class will receive the certificates testifying to their thorough grounding in the various phases of household care. At the formal closing of the class on Saturday, at 3 p.m., there will be the presentation of certificates, a short programme, and tea will be served.

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Social and Personal Notes

Shower for Bride-to-Be

Members of the traffic department of the B.C. Telephone Company were hostesses, recently, at a delightful miscellaneous shower held in the restroom, in honor of Miss E. Crowe, a popular supervisor of the operating staff, whose marriage to Mr. Gilbert Stancombe, of the Esquimalt police force, will take place early this month. As Miss Crowe entered the restroom, she was arrested for failing to observe the "stop signal," by the policeman on point duty. When the signals were open to "go," Miss Crowe was escorted by the officer to the chair of honor beside a beautifully decorated Christmas tree, where parcels were hung; other parcels were also concealed in a large Christmas bonbon. Miss Marion Mitchell, who cleverly impersonated the policeman, stood guard over the prisoner while the many gifts were unwrapped. Miss M. Burley, on behalf of the local staff, presented the guest of honor with a standard lamp. A cut glass vase was presented by Miss L. Benson, on behalf of the long distance staff. A buffet supper was served, the tables being effectively arranged with tall red tapers in silver candlesticks, and centred with a silver basket with Poinsettias and ferns. About forty guests were present.

Party for Bride-to-Be

Miss Mabel Harris, whose marriage to Mr. George H. Lowe will be an event of Christmas week, was the guest of honor at a delightful tea and linen shower given by her sister, Mrs. James H. Maunsell, at her home on Government Street, on Sunday afternoon. Miss Harris was the recipient of many lovely pieces of linen. Mrs. Herbert Clark presided at the prettily-appointed tea table which was centred with a bowl of chrysanthemums. Mrs. Maunsell's guests were: Mrs. J. E. Harris, Mrs. R. Love, Mrs. J. J. Harte, Mrs. H. Renwick, Mrs. Herbert Clark, Mrs. H. Brown, Mrs. R. Phillips, Mrs. C. Parrot, Mrs. L. Wray, Mrs. A. Hemming, Mrs. F. Morse, Misses Mabel Harris, Eleanor Renwick, Agnes Hood, Peggy Love, May Wootton, Eileen Money, Gwen Meredith-Jones, B. Love, Enid Sealey and Frances Oldham.

Leaves for New York

Miss Naeta Waind, McKenzie Street, has left for New York, where she will spend the next two months. En route to the East she will visit friends in Edmonton, Winnipeg and Toronto, and on the return trip will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. D. G. Sunderland, in Windsor, Ontario, for some time.

Revellers' Card Party

Final arrangements have been made for the Revellers' bridge party, which is to be held at the A.O.F. Hall on Saturday evening, at 7:45 o'clock. The proceeds will be devoted to the club's Christmas hamper fund. Invitations for the party may be obtained from any member of the club.

Left Yesterday

Mr. Jack Youson, of 747 Esquimalt Road, left yesterday afternoon for Seattle, en route to New York, and will sail on December 15 aboard the Ss. Bremen for Southampton. Mr. Youson will spend six weeks at his home, Brenton-on-Trent.

Holiday in South

Miss Irene Keller, of Nanaimo, spent some time visiting in Victoria prior to sailing on Saturday evening aboard the Ss. Ruth Alexander for California, to spend a few weeks' holiday at Los Angeles.

Returning Today

Mrs. J. Murray Cameron, Foul Bay Road, will return to the city this afternoon after an absence of six weeks, during which time she visited relatives in New York City, Ottawa, Toronto and Calgary.

Here for a Month

Miss E. G. Popham, of Winnipeg, is holidaying in the city for a month. She is staying at the Windermere Hotel.

At Dominion Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. Dennett and family, of Milwaukee, are staying a few days at the Dominion Hotel.

From Winnipeg

Mrs. J. I. McFarland, of Winnipeg, arrived in Victoria, yesterday, and registered at the Empress Hotel.

Week-End at Glenshiel

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lysness, of Nootka, B.C., spent the week-end at the Glenshiel Hotel.

Here From Montreal

Mr. George Knight, of Montreal, is spending a few days at the Glenshiel Hotel.

Leaves for Kamloops

Miss Catherine Roberts left on Sunday afternoon for Kamloops.

From Tacoma

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mynhill, of Tacoma, are at the Dominion Hotel.

Vancouver Visitor

Mr. F. H. Minchin, of Vancouver, is visiting at the Windermere Hotel.

At Windermere Hotel

Miss Carol Loring, of New York City, is at the Windermere Hotel.

University Women Will Hear Talk

This evening Miss Hilda Hesson will address the University Women's Club at their guest-night at the Y.W.C.A., her subject to be "Golden Isles of the Caribbean." Members are asked to make note of the event.

Christmas Seals do their share. Are you doing yours?

Daily Bridge Question No. 48

The bidding:

East	South
♠ 4	?

You (South) hold the following hand:

♠ None
♥ A K Q 8 6
♦ A Q J 9
♣ K Q 10 9

What do you bid?

Answers to these questions must be delivered, mailed or telephoned, the same day as question is published, and addressed to Macan & Mitchell Bridge Studios, 221-2 Pemberton Building.

Answer to Question No. 47: The Ace of Diamonds is played to the first trick and only two rounds of trumps played. The heart suit is then attacked. If the adverse hearts are divided 3-3, the last adverse trump is extracted and the last heart cashed. When played in this way if the heart suit is divided 4-2, against you you have the additional chance of making your contract that the hand holding the four hearts also holds the one outstanding trump. This is another form of standard safety play

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Comic Opera To Be Given Boxing Day

The Savoy comic opera, "The Pirates of Penzance," by Gilbert and Sullivan, will be presented at the Empire Theatre on Boxing Day, December 26, and judging by inquiries it is apparent that a very large audience will welcome the talented young people of the Eurydice Art Club in their ambitious efforts.

Many persons have agitated for opera in English, and Gilbert and Sullivan's masterpieces are the answer to all such representations. Many regular playgoers will be glad of the opportunity to renew their acquaintance with the delightful lilting songs and choruses, notably, "The Pirate King's Song," "The Paradox Trio," "Poor Wandering One," "The Model Major-General," and "A Policeman's Lot Is Not a Happy One."

CAST SELECTED

A carefully-chosen cast has been selected for the leading roles, including several favorites of last year's production.

Margaret Lennox as Mabel, the general's daughter, will be found quite adequate as the leading lady, her singing and acting having already given her quite a good local reputation. William Frampton, well-known tenor, has the important role of Frederic, the pirate apprentice, and will, no doubt, add to his laurels with his excellent voice and good stage deportment. Catherine Denison, a talented contralto, is to be Ruth, the "Pirate maid-of-all-work," and her singing will be appreciated. Mary Sinclair, as Edith, and Grace Tuckey, as Kate, show great promise in their respective roles.

A well-known favorite, young Bobby McVie, will please as the "Major-General," as will James McVie as the "Pirate King." Bruce Mickleburgh, as the police sergeant, will add to the humor of the show. A chorus of fifty voices will be a big feature.

SPECIAL SCENERY

Special scenery and lighting effects will be used, also elaborate costuming; no effort is being spared to make this production a memorable one. There will be a matinee at 2:30 p.m., with a special admission for children; the evening performance will commence at 8:15 o'clock.

Tickets may be secured at Fletcher Bros., or from Mrs. Mickleburgh, 3374 Cook Street, or from members of the club.

Royal Family to Spend Christmas At Sandringham

LONDON, Dec. 10 (CP). — The King and Queen, who have been taking a rest at Sandringham Lodge following the Royal wedding, returned to London today and will probably remain here until they go to Sandringham again just before Christmas, for their customary family party.

Their Majesties will have another daughter-in-law with them during the holidays. The Duke and Duchess of Kent leave Himley Hall, Worcestershire, where they spent the first part of their honeymoon, tomorrow for Trent Park, on the borders of Middlesex and Hertford, one of the few remaining large estates, within a dozen miles of Charing Cross. Trent Park has been loaned them by Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-Secretary for Air, who has a private golf course and aerodrome on the estate.

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CLAIM SEINE SALMON BEST

Canners' Delegation Make Recommendations to Acting Minister of Fisheries

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—Salmon purse-seining under proper Government control was recommended today to Hon. Grote Stirling, Canadian acting Minister of Fisheries, by a delegation representing British Columbia salmon canners.

They stated the market for salmon is growing more competitive each year and that, in order to retain the preference markets now enjoyed by British Columbia, it is necessary to maintain quantity and quality.

They claimed that salmon caught by seines on the Gulf of Georgia are in better condition than the same run of fish caught on the Fraser River days or weeks later. If American fishermen use seines, it is necessary for Canadian industry to employ the same methods, they said.

Mr. Stirling promised that the matter would be given careful consideration.

The minister will leave, today, for Vancouver Island.

That Body of Yours

(By James W. Barton, M.D.)

TREATING ANGINA PECTORIS WITH TISSUE SUBSTANCES

I have written before about the use of a substance obtained from the muscles of calves which was found helpful in angina pectoris or breast pang. Angina pectoris is caused by a narrowing of the little blood vessels supplying the heart muscle. If the heart muscle doesn't get enough blood to enable it to work properly then a serious condition arises; the heart will be unable to pump blood to all parts of the body.

This substance was first used in Europe and now other substances are being found in various tissues—liver, heart, blood, pancreas—which seem to act as does that obtained from the muscles of the calf. These substances enlarge or dilate the little blood vessels supplying the heart and thus prevent attacks of angina.

Dr. J. Curtis Lyter, St. Louis, states that he has treated twenty-one patients for angina pectoris during the past year, of whom seventeen had the attacks of angina pectoris during effort or exercise and four had the attacks whilst lying down. The patients were given injections of one of these substances obtained from the urine into the veins daily for from thirty to sixty days, and another substance obtained from the muscles of a calf was given three times a day for the same period of time.

The patients suffering with the angina due to effort were made to exercise in the way of walking after receiving treatments, for periods of ten to twenty days. The walking was stopped if the least pain occurred. In this way the walks were increased until the patients were able to walk from three to five miles each day. When this stage was reached the injections were given only twice each week. After a few weeks both substances were discontinued and the patient was instructed to continue walking three to five miles daily the remainder of his life.

Of the seventeen who had angina from effort thirteen have been completely relieved and are now able to walk any distance without the pain, the other four have slight pain after walking two blocks, but after a short rest they can walk any distance without effort. Of the four patients with angina when lying down all showed some improvement.

This certainly looks like an efficient method of relieving many cases of angina pectoris.

Curious Seagull Loses Life When Caught by Hook

Curiosity of a seagull cost it its life, yesterday, at Rithet's Pier.

Swooping down from a height to investigate a fishing hook which was attached to a line, the bird snapped at the barb, which caught in its throat. With a shrill cry it winged its way over the wharf sheds, and at the same moment the fishing line became fastened on the timbers of the building.

Constable Arthur Phipps attempted to relieve the seagull of the hook, but found the roof of the building too slippery to afford him a footing. To put an end to the bird's misery, he shot it.

The Gersoppa Falls are the finest falls in India on the Sharawati River.

BUSY WEEK-END AT RIVER PORT

Big Movement of Ships on Fraser Following Lifting of Fog

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 10 (CP).—With lifting of the fog and resumption of shipping on the Fraser River, pilots had a busy week-end here, handling thirteen deep-sea ships in and out of New Westminster.

Held in port last week by the fog, Ms. Wisconsin, Ms. Astoria, Ms. Lycia and Ss. Langleetarn sailed Sunday.

Seven ships were in port today: Ms. Europa, loading lumber, lead, apples and general cargo for the United Kingdom.

Ss. Virginia Nicoloau, loading lumber for Japan.

Ms. Pacific Exporter, taking lumber, lead, apples and general for the United Kingdom.

Ss. Rossington Court and Ms. Minerva, loading lumber for Japan.

Ss. Viking Star, lumber, lead and apples for the United Kingdom.

Ms. Titania, apples and lead for the United Kingdom.

What Today Means

"SAGITTARIUS"

If December 11 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. and from 6:30 to 3:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:30 to 9:30 a.m., from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. and from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m.

On this December 11 look out that errors in judgment are not caused by too hasty reading of a letter or document. Speed is a danger that requires guarding against, as it might result in serious mishaps occuring where negligence is permitted. The majority of business deals negotiated will very likely be profitable, where conservative and ethical trading methods are used. Cordiality will make social gatherings enjoyable due to its removing the restraint so frequently felt from an excessive amount of formality, if the host and hostess are dominated entirely by the spirit of sociability and not by some ulterior business motive. Some lucky circumstances may help make this a very happy day for you. Married and engaged couples, as well as those indulging in love affairs, will be wise to regulate their tone of voice so infections cannot be misconstrued as quarrelsome or complaining.

If a woman and December 11 is your natal day, there is a strong possibility you will receive an unexpected amount of gratifying attention on this date. Money matters of a decidedly agreeable nature may prove an influencing factor very shortly in some of your plans. It might be good judgment to make it a rule if you cannot say something kind or nice about a person to say nothing, as unkind remarks are the ones likely to be repeated. Work in an exclusive shop, specializing in things with a feminine appeal, writing, and interior decorating, may offer money-making possibilities. Love is essential for your complete happiness, so matrimony should be the logical thing for you.

The child born on December 11, when capable of understanding, should be discouraged in evincing strong likes and dislikes, especially where food and clothing are concerned. Instinctively of a fastidious nature, this youngster must not be allowed to let this trait dominate its actions.

If a man and December 11 is your birthday, the one thing you may have to guard against, which might interfere with your popularity, is evidencing a disposition of being rather hard to please in little things. Overcome this one weakness and your many fine attributes will carry you far on the road to success. The legal and medical professions, civil and mechanical engineering, as well as industrial lines, have openings for a man of your ability.

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Good Quality Netted Gems, 100-lb. sack 57c (Limit, 3 sacks)

Bread. Baked fresh today 3 loaves 18c
Best Jap Rice 2 lbs. 9c
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Libby's Corned Beef, 1's 2 tins 21c

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Rich All-Chocolate Layer Cakes with chocolate icing, each 25c

Spanish Table Raisins, per packet, 35c and 45c
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3 lbs. for 76c
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3 lbs. for 75c

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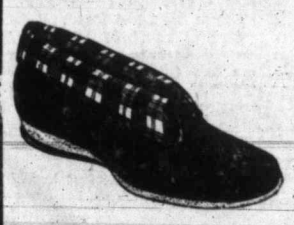

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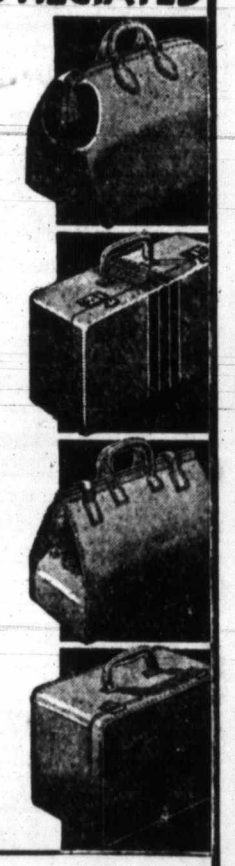

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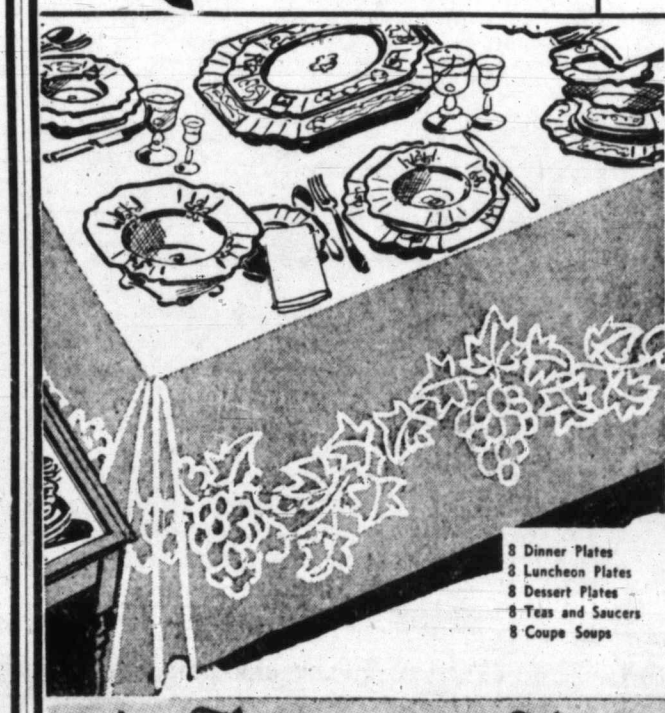

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CANDIDATES FOR "REP" RUGBY TEAM ARE CHOSEN

Barney Ross Wins Over Bobby Pacho In Titular Fight

Retains Junior Welterweight Championship as Crowd Booes Every Round—Buddy Baer Scores Another Knockout—Perroni Decisions Risko —Many Fans Leave Auditorium

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 10 (AP).—Barney Ross, world lightweight and junior welterweight champion, defending the latter of his two crowns here tonight, was given the decision over Bobby Pacho, Los Angeles, after their twelve - round battle. Ross, tossing left hooks to Pacho's body and face, had no difficulty outboxing the Mexican after the first three rounds. The champion did all the punching in most of the clinches and kept away from punishment. Ross weighed 138, Pacho 138¾.

BARNEY ROSS

In the third round Ross cracked a left to Pacho's chin which rocked the Mexican. Pacho fell into a clinch and recovered his senses quickly. For the remainder of the bout he was cautious and covered his chin with his glove whenever danger approached.

The crowded auditorium cried for action repeatedly and at the end of each round the boxers were booed. After the sixth round many spectators left the building.

Ross gave an excellent exhibition of body punching in the final round. He threw rights and lefts to the Mexican's mid-section until Pacho appeared near exhaustion.

PIRRONE WINS

Paul Pirfone, Cleveland middleweight, was awarded the decision over Lou Halper, Newark, N.J., after a bloody ten-round battle tonight, in the semi-final.

Pirrone weighed 160, Halper 152.

Patsy Perroni, Boston heavyweight, was awarded his third decision over Johnny Risko, Cleveland, after ten rounds. There were no knockdowns. Perroni weighed 181½, Risko 195.

Buddy Baer, Los Angeles, 238-pound brother of the heavyweight champion, knocked out Mickey McGoorty, 215¼, Detroit, in 1 minute and 22 seconds of their scheduled four-round bout.

Chicago Trims Rangers—Wings Beat St. Louis

DRIVING in four goals in the last period, Chicago Black Hawks came through with a 4-0 victory over New York Rangers in the National Hockey League, Sunday night, at Chicago. Montreal Canadiens and New York Americans battled to a 2-2 deadlock after overtime in the Manhattan centre, while Detroit Red Wings took the measure of the lowly St. Louis Eagles after another extra-period tussle, 3 to 1.

ESPINOSA IS LEADING IN MIAMI GOLF

Chicago Pro Sets Fast Pace in $12,500 Tourney—Farrell Second

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 10 (AP).—Jumping out in front with 74-72—146, Abe Espinosa, of Chicago, playing in the second division, today conquered a stiff, chilly wind to lead half of the field of 300 golfers at the thirty-six-hole mark in the $12,500 Miami open golf tournament.

The remainder of the entries play their second eighteen-hole round tomorrow, with the finals set for Thursday.

The stocky pro toured the first nine holes today in par 35, taking a birdie four on the first hole and going one over par on the sixth. He came home with 37, one over par.

Trailing by one stroke to tie for the lead in the first division came Johnny Farrell, of Short Hills, N.J., and Orville White, Chicago, whose 147's were equaled by Mike Turnesa, of Elmsford, N.Y., a second division entry.

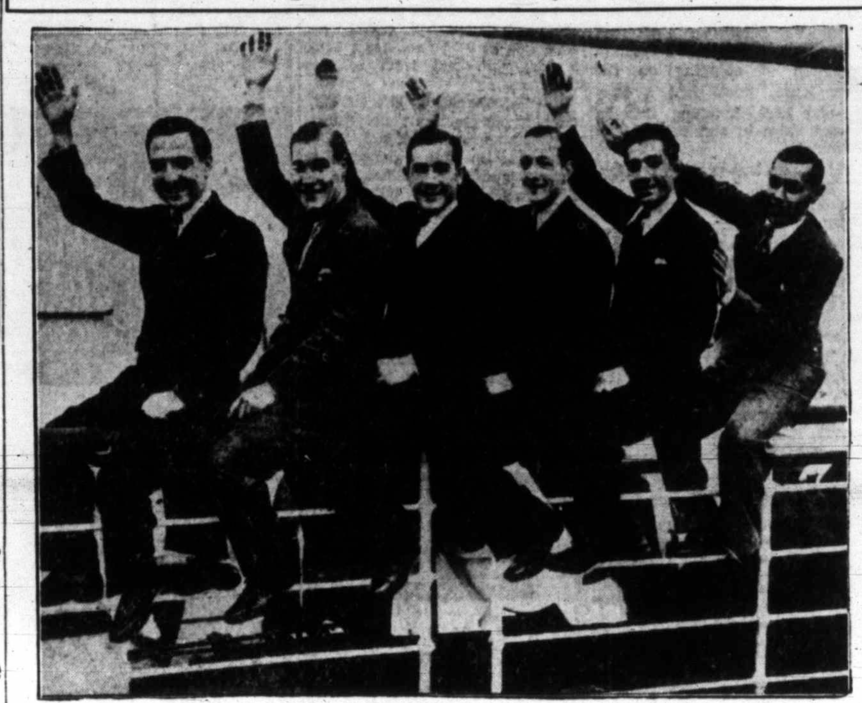
HAGEN TRAILING

Tied at 148 were Leonard B. Schmutte, of Findlay, Ohio, and Clarence Clark, of Bloomfield, N.J. Farther back came Walter Hagen, the old maestro from Detroit, who had to be content with 155.

Chances of Canadians who fired in the chill of today were not bright. The tally for A. F. MacPherson, Montreal, was 81-76—157; that for Arthur Keeling, of Welland, Ont., was 87-82—169.

A number of other Canadians play their second-round games tomorrow.

Noted European Six-Day Bike Riders



Some of Europe's Best Bicycle Stars Are "Riding the Rails" as They Arrive on the Lafayette for New York's Six-Day Bike Grind. The Group Includes Marcel Guimbretiere, of France, and His Partner, Paul Brocardo, of Italy, Who Won the Last Race. Others Are Adolf Schden, Walter Lohmann, Hans Zims, and Willie Kriester, all of Germany.

NINETEEN PLAYERS WORKING OUT FOR PLACES ON SQUAD

5th Regiment Fifteen Heads List With Nine Players—J.B.A.A. and Navy Have Four Each—McInnes Appears Certain for Fullback Position —To Train at Park This Evening

Candidates for Victoria's "rep" English Rugby fifteen were chosen by the selection committee, of the Victoria Rugby Union, over the week-end, and released yesterday by Bob McInnes, one of the members of the selection board. Nineteen players have been selected and will try for places on the Capital City's representative squad, which will make their first appearance against an all-star California fifteen, here on December 26, Boxing Day. The match will take place at the Royal Athletic Park, and a record holiday crowd is expected to watch the teams striving for victory.

Nine members of last year's Barnard Cup winners, 5th Regiment, have been nominated for positions. J.B.A.A. and the Navy each have four players, while the Garrison and Canadian Scottish have one each trying out. The official list is as follows: Peden, 5th Regiment; McInnes, 5th Regiment; Rowe, 5th Regiment; Fleming, 5th Regiment; Sweet, Navy; Peard, J.B.A.A.; Petticrew, J.B.A.A.; Brown, J.B.A.A.; Addison, J.B.A.A.; Featherstone, Garrison; Engleson, 5th Regiment; Corbin, Navy; Barker, Navy; Bankes, Canadian Scottish; Stagg, Navy; Gaunt, 5th Regiment; De Blacquiere, 5th Regiment; Eastham, 5th Regiment.

PLENTY OF MATERIAL

Glancing over the list, it can be safely said that the committee has selected a wealth of material, from which a strong and formidable aggregation can be moulded. However, it seems odd that only four members of the Navy fifteen has been given consideration, due to the fact that the sailors captured the first half honors, and right now appear almost certain winners in the second half scramble, and with it the Barnard Cup, symbolic of the senior city laurels.

Chuck McDonald, clever captain and three-quarter of the winning Navy ruggers, and a "rep" star of last season, would have been on the list had he not left for the Old Country just a week ago. McDonald's playing has been one of the highlights of the season, and his departure leaves a big gap to fill on the local fifteen.

Of all the players mentioned, only one is certain of his position, and that is Roddy McInnes, hard kicking fullback of the Gunners. McInnes is the only fullback chosen, which means that the committee intend to have him performing against California. A strong number of three-quarters are available, and the front line men are all well groomed players and will carry plenty of weight in the pack.

BUTTERWORTH COACH

Ernie Butterworth, one of the most experienced coaches of English Rugby on the continent, will look after the candidates in training and will guide them into the California struggle. He has bossed several "rep" teams and has been more than successful with his charges. This evening at 8 o'clock the teams will work out at the enclosure, and again Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. The teams will be definitely chosen a day or two before the match.

B.C. TO PLAY THREE GAMES

All-Star Provincial Ruggers Listed for Trio of Rugby Fixtures in South

PALM SPRINGS, Cal., Dec. 10 (AP).—Return of Rugby football to California inter-collegiate circles on a large scale was promised, with the drawing up of a Winter schedule by graduate managers of the four leading schools of the state here today

Besides competition between Stanford, Southern California, California and U.C.L.A., games were listed with a British Columbia all-star team. The schedule follows:

January 23—California at U.C.L.A.

February 9—Southern California at California.

February 13 — British Columbia All-Stars at Stanford.

February 16 — British Columbia All-Stars at California; Stanford at Southern California.

February 21 — British Columbia All-Stars at U.C.L.A.

March 2 — Stanford at California, and Southern California at U.C.L.A.

California Racing

BAY MEADOWS, Cal., Dec. 10.—Results here today follow:

First Race—Six furlongs:
Sausalito (Simmons) $5.60 $3.80 $3.40
Pop (Sena) ... 4.60 4.20
Liolele (Neaves) ... 8.00
Time, 1:11 4-5. Also ran: Amy Cooper, Swift Return, Tassajara, Ervast, Rapid Bells, Snooksie Shot, Easter Style, Easter Doll, Whip Snake.

Second Race—Six furlongs:
High Color (Landers) $4.60 $3.60 $3.20
Morale (B. Thornton) ... 8.00 4.60
Tocaya (Merritt) ... 7.60
Time, 1:12. Also ran: Enthue Edward, Lucille, K. Flisak, Pico Blanco, Helen Madison, Seven Up, Desert Storm, Nojoqui.

Third Race—Six furlongs:
Cold Wave (Luther) $4.20 $3.00 $2.80
Gene D. (E. Burns) ... 6.40 4.20
Lamp Black (T. King) ... 3.00
Time, 1:11 4-5. Also ran: Physician, Beth Hogan, Ima Dreamer, Jillion, Broadmore Behave, Red Vest, Altena, Well Heeled, Tabour.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:
Quick Flight (G. Burns) ..$6.20 $3.20 $3.20
Las Palmas (Coucci) ... 3.20 3.40
Thistle Duce (G. Smith) ... 8.00
Time, 1:11 1-5. Also ran: Bright Knot, Uncle Less, Gold Clasp, Colconda, Dirigible, Justice Logan, Parnell Boy, Eisenberg, Careful Kitty.

Fifth Race—Mile and seventy yards:
Bay Leaf (G. Smith) $12.20 $5.60 $4.40
Hildur Rock (Jesse) ... 9.40 5.60
Mahomet (Marshall) ... 8.00
Time, 1:42 2-5. Also ran: Opium, Our Billy, Flower Day, Foolhardy, Its Own, Nellie Basil, Chief Geronimo, Sunny Bob.

Sixth Race—Mile and Seventy:
Redress (Longdon) ....$10.20 $ 6.80 $4.60
Burning Up (T. King) ... 10.00 6.00
Fairy Street (Luther) ... 3.20
Time, 1:41 3-5. Also ran: New Son, Listo, Hoosiers Pride, Terraine.

Seventh Race—One mile:
Toro Flight (Coucci) ...$3.80 $ 3.40 $2.60
Bon Amour (G. Smith) ... 10.20 4.20
South Gallent (Westrope) ... 3.00
Time, 1:38 1-5. Also ran: Quintal, Kent, Easter Tommy, Crack Shot.

Eighth Race—One mile:
Moon Rose (Ray) $7.40 $4.20 $2.80
Gallinete (Westrope) ... 4.00 3.00
Rolling Wheels (Merritt) ... 2.80
Time 1:39. Also ran: Skool, Shortage, Poggi, John P. Mills, Bon Honest, Rochiny, Tienette, Sir Rouel, Aspador.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

Entries follow:

First Race—Six furlongs:

Volbrace	118
Marpal	103
Toy Lady	100
Miss McClain	103
Petsol	100
Smart Miss	102
Boon Time	111
Jane Hastings	111
Real Certain	100
Vergene	106
Roostyle	109
Last Edition	100

Second Race—Six furlongs:

La Honda	107
Plum Shot	116
Peace Princess	105
Runshot	110
Ellen Clar	105
She	107
Morcharm	102
Prisa	108
Vera Crofton	108
Runsals	110
Early Star	102
Anapola	105

Third Race—Six furlongs:

Donna Bonita	108
Diamond Star	108
Quick Santa	107
Amador	108
Wasatch Dell	103
Sea Faster	106
Nita Rap	106
Peachwood	106
All Star	111
[illegible]	103
[illegible]	108
[illegible]	102

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:

*Happy Knot	106
†Bissagos	103
‡Gold Step	109
Happy Fellow	109
*Newsman	106
Dark Winter	109
Hueu	109
‡Carisbrooke	103
Marooned	109
†Joe Floros	109

*J. W. Marchbank entry.
†J. D. Speckles entry.
‡G. E. Ewins entry.

Fifth Race—Mile and one-eighth:

Prinute	112
Rowdy Boy	110
Panic Blues	104
Durango	107
Mopeco	103
Rome Venple	114
Golden Words	113

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Morsel	114
Our Admiral	112
Black Mammy	113
Judge Austin	112
Bill Andy	112
Sand Baby	114
Sweet Chariot	114

Seventh Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Gabo	110
No Excuse	111
Lucky Joe	106
Zuthen	106
Lieut. Kelly	106
Lakeland	106
Black Signal	1[illegible]
Nelda W.	103
Flying Atom	106
Irish Peer	115
Lazi Canter	111
Dunes	116

Eighth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

La Manga	108
Evalyn R.	107
Breakaway	103
Afridi	115
Ken Kling	115
Sabina H.	108
Donald Lad	115
Sam Gilmore	110
Quick Sale	108
Serving Lad	111
Emma Lou	109
Red Mountain	110

Giuseppe Giusti was one of the most celebrated and popular of the modern poets and satirists of Italy.

SOCCER RESULTS

Results of fixtures played by teams in the Saanich and Suburbs Football League, Sunday, follow:

Marigold 2, Bluebirds 1.

Burnside 3, Strawberry Vale 1.

Admirals 4, Indians 0.

V.A.S.C. Swim Stars Score Close Victory In Inter-Club Event

Defeat Y.M.C.A. by Six Points in Vancouver Island Swimming League—Pacific Club Third —Molly Wallis Displays Good Form

By the small margin of six points, Victoria Amateur Swimming Club natators nosed out the Y.M.C.A. mermaids and mermen in a Vancouver Island Swimming League, inter-club swimming gala, yesterday evening, at the Crystal Garden. The final point totals were: V.A.S.C., 52; Y.M.C.A., 46; Pacific Club, 30.

Molly Wallis, attractive young miss from the Pacific Swimming Club, and recently crowned British Columbia half-mile champion, set the pace in the fair sex freestyle events by winning the fifty yards for girls under sixteen and the fifty yards open for women. Rated as the leading local mermaid, the Pacific star scored easy victories in these events.

CLOSE FINISH

In one of the best finishes of the evening, Jack Mutton, Y.M.C.A. natator, beat Bev. Honor, Pacific Club ace, by inches, in the 100 yards freestyle after a great race. Ernie Emerson, V.A.S.C., was a close third.

Bob Matheson, V.A.S.C. distance star, scored a sensational victory in the 300 yards freestyle over Bev. Honor. Frank Wight was third.

Victoria Amateur Swimming Club and the Y.M.C.A. divided the honors in the relay events, the former winning the women's race, and the latter, the men's event.

One of the features of the gala was the excellent exhibition of high diving by Phil Bond, Ernie Peden, Albert Stokes, Alec Merriman, Tony Rose and Jack Daniels. Time after time these young mermen drew the plaudits of the spectators by their sensational and thrilling dives.

THE RESULTS

Results follow:

Plunge for distance, women—1, Teresa Lee Warner, V.A.S.C.; 2, Rae Saunders, V.A.S.C.; 3, Dorothy Johnson, V.A.S.C., and Yvonne Squires, V.A.S.C. (tied).

50 yards, freestyle, girls under 14 —1, P. Dyer, V.A.S.C.; 2, Irene Murray, Y.M.C.A.

Plunge for distance, men—1, H. Kennedy, Y.M.C.A.; 2, F. Wight, Y.M.C.A.; 3, J. Daniels, Pacific Club.

50 yards, freestyle, girls under 16 —1, Molly Wallis, Pacific Club; 2, O. French, V.A.S.C.; 3, Rae Saunders, V.A.S.C.

100 yards, freestyle, men—1, Jack Mutton, Y.M.C.A.; 2, B. Honor, Pacific Club; 3, Ernie Emerson, V.A.S.C.

50 yards, freestyle, women—1, Molly Wallis, Pacific Club; 2, Lillian Stokes, Pacific Club; 3, Helen Unsworth, Y.M.C.A.

50 yards, backstroke, men—1, Don Davidson, Pacific Club; 2, B. Smirl, V.A.S.C.; 3, J. Mutton, Y.M.C.A.

50 yards, freestyle, boys under 14 —1, G. Lawrence, Y.M.C.A.; 2, Billy Swift, Y.M.C.A.; 3, J. Squires, V.A.S.C.

50 yards, backstroke, women—1, D. Johnson, V.A.S.C.; 2, Audrey Adams, Y.M.C.A.; 3, Olive French, Y.M.C.A.

300 yards, freestyle, men—1, B. Matheson, V.A.S.C.; 2, Bev. Honor, Pacific Club; 3, Frank Wight, Y.M.C.A.

50 yards, breaststroke, women—1, Yvonne Squires, V.A.S.C.; 2, Audrey Adams, Y.M.C.A.; 3, P. Dyer, V.A.S.C.

50 yards, freestyle, boys under 16 —1, R. Moss, V.A.S.C.; 2, B. Noel, Y.M.C.A.; 3, E. Blenkinsop, Y.M.C.A.

50 yards, breaststroke, men—1, Ernie Peden, Pacific Club; 2, Percy Riddle, Y.M.C.A.; 3, Bob Smirl, Y.M.C.A.

200 yards, relay, women — 1, V.A.S.C.; 2, Y.M.C.A.

200 yards, relay, men—1, Y.M.C.A.; 2, V.A.S.C.; 3, Pacific Club.

Canadian Golf Tournament to Be Staged Here

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP). —Open and closed golf championships of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union will be staged in British Columbia next season, probably in September, Mrs. S. C. Sweeny, president of the British Columbia branch, C.L.G.U., announced today.

Mrs. Sweeny stated she had received a telegram to that effect. She said the open tournament would be held in Vancouver and the closed event in Victoria.

"Tubby" Stevens Is Suspended by Soccer Officials

"Tubby" Stevens, inside left of the Hudson's Bay soccer eleven, was yesterday suspended for two weeks by the officials of the Victoria and District Wednesday Football League. Stevens was ordered from the field during a game between the Hudson's Bay and the Maccabees at the Royal Athletic Park on November 28 for questioning the decision of the referee, W. J. Cull.

Remember When

(Twenty-Five Years Ago)

Victoria and Vancouver Rugby teams will meet in the second of the Winter's series for the McKechnie Cup on Saturday, December 18, on the Mainland. The game that was postponed last Saturday, because of the frozen ground here, will not take place this week on the local arena. So those who were looking forward to seeing it without the expenditure of time and money necessary to reach the Mainland, will have to reconcile themselves to disappointment.

While waiting for the forthcoming encounter with the Terminal City's gladiators, the local boys will not loaf around sucking their thumbs in silly idleness. This time they are in earnest. This statement is made on the strength of the indications, not being an echo of any vainglorious assertion on the part of those directly concerned. And, in order that every one of the fifteen who will take the field on Victoria's behalf on the Mainland may be in good enough shape to last the full period at top-notch pace, the interval will be well occupied.

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Frank Baylis, newly elected to the professional ranks, and A. Stanley, the speedy Swede, will exchange courtesies over the long five-mile trail this evening at the Assembly Hall rink.

At last, those who like to see the test-combining endurance and pace will have an opportunity to witness these two aspirants for the British Columbia championship in a fair and square argument, with that choice plum as the award.

Winners at Colwood

Mrs. J. H. Richardson and Sandy Marling captured the mixed foursomes competition, held Sunday at the Royal Colwood Golf Club, with a net score of 79. Mrs. J. H. Lee and A. C. Falk were next with 79½.

BESCHIZZA AND BOYD ARE LEADING SHOTS

Gunners D. Boyd and G. Beschizza led the field in the weekly miniature shoot of the 5th B.C. Coast Brigade, C.A., at the Bay Street Armories, with a 49 out of a possible 50. Other contestants and their scores follow:

Bdr. W. F. Islip	48
Lieut.-Sergt. J. R. Archer	47
Bdr. A. Rycroft	47
Gnr. E. Wood	46
Sergt. G. Rosin	46
Gnr. F. S. Brown	46
Tpr. W. Steadman	46
Gnr. J. S. Brown	46
Gnr. A. Pickles	45
Sergt. H. Hatcher	45
Gnr. W. Sparrow	44
Gnr. S. P. Merriman	44
Gnr. F. Harvey	44
B.S.M. H. Fretwell	43
Gnr. A. Keefe	43
Sergt. W. R. Tomlinson	41
Gnr. F. G. Hooper	40
Gnr. F. Coleman	40
Gnr. J. Meredith	39
L.-Bdr. H. Osgood	39
Lieut. P. A. Wilson	39
Gnr. E. Stringer	38
Bdr. C. G. Walton	36
Gnr. E. H. Moore	34
Gnr. H. Horne	33
Gnr. E. F. Seed	33
Gnr. A. F. Seed	27

Latest Picture of "Ace" Bailey

IRVIN "ACE" BAILEY

CENTRE ice star of Toronto Maple Leafs, until he crashed to the ice of the Boston Gardens after a collision with Defenceman Eddie Shore, in a game last Winter. "Ace" accompanied the Leafs to Boston for an examination by Dr. Donald Munro, who brought him from the shadow of death by two delicate brain operations. Bailey, it is reported, has been suffering from the effects of the injury again since striking his head this Winter and the Maple Leaf club insisted that he undergo the examination. Dr. Munro intimated that Bailey will never resume his hockey career. He is now employed as a salesman in Toronto and coaches the West Toronto junior amateurs.

CANADIANS ARE SECOND

Peden, Audy and LePage Drop Six-Day Event by Four Sprint Points

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 10 (CP).—By the slim margin of four sprint points, the team of Fielding, Vopel and Van Kempen beat the Canadians, Peden, Audy and Le Page for first place in the Minneapolis six-day bike race which ended tonight.

The two teams and the All-American combination of Walthour, Crossley and Buhlere were tied on mileage at the end of the race with 3,056.

The German-American trio, Winter, Muller and Miethe were in fourth place, and the international triumvirate of Zach, Clignet and Boogmans in fifth, both teams finishing one lap behind the leaders.

ITALIANS DROP OUT

The Italian team of Fioravanti Baggio, Jean Giliberti and Mike Defilipo was withdrawn from the contest at 9:25 p.m. for slow riding, the third team to succumb in a contest marked by injuries and disqualifications.

The final standings:

Team:	M.	L.	Pt.
Fielding-Vopel-Van Kempen	3,056	9	2,424
Peden-Audy-Le Page	3,056	9	2,420
Walthour-Crossley-Buhlere	3,056	9	1,575
Winter-Muller-Mieth	3,056	8	1,653
Zach-Clignet-Boogmans	3,056	8	878

SEATTLE BEATS CALGARY 2 TO 0

SEATTLE, Dec. 10 (AP).—The Seattle Sea Hawks raced to a 2-0 win over Edmonton, tonight, in a Northwest Pro Hockey League game, retaining their league leadership in a tight, well-played game. Hemmerling, on a long solo dash in the opening minutes of play, and Proudlock, on a pass from Mullen in the last period, counted the Seattle goals.

BATTLE TO TIE

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP). — Calgary and Vancouver Lions, of the Pacific Northwest Pro Hockey League, played a two-all overtime tie here, tonight.

BUCKAROOS TRIUMPH

PORTLAND, Dec. 10 (CP).—Portland Buckaroos shared third place honors with Calgary in the Northwest Pro Hockey League standings today, as a result of their 7-2 victory over Duke Keats' Edmonton Eskimos here, last night.

Coming from behind in the middle period, the Bucs bulged the Edmonton net three times to overcome Eskimos' 2-0 lead, hung up in the opening session, then added four more counters in a furious third-period attack.

J.B.A.A. and Hillcrest badminton players battled to an 8-8 draw in a friendly match, played on the former's courts over the week-end.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . . By Ripley

EXPLANATION FOR SUNDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

The Armless Painter—It was said of Michaelangelo that "he would have been a great painter even if he had been born without arms." Such a painter was Cesar Ducornet, who was born without arms in Lille, France, in 1806. In spite of this crushing handicap he learned to handle brush and pencil at an early age, and was sent to Paris to study at the expense of his native city. Here he became famous as the painter of many historic canvasses and portraits. Many of his paintings hang in the Louvre in Paris; others are in museums at Lille, Amiens and elsewhere. He was an artist of the romantic school, and always signed his canvasses "Ne sans bras" (Born without arms). He died in Paris in 1856.

ALL YESTERDAY'S ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY.

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N.H.L. STATISTICS

National Hockey League leaders follow:

CANADIAN SECTION

Section: Toronto, won 9, lost 2, tied 0; points, 18.

Points: Jackson, Toronto, 10 goals, 4 assists; 14 points.

Goals: Jackson, Toronto, 10.

Assists: R. Smith, Montreal, 8.

Penalties: Horner, Toronto, 35 minutes.

Shutouts: Hainsworth, Toronto, 3.

AMERICAN SECTION

Section: Chicago, won 6, lost 3, tied 0; points, 12; Boston, won 6, lost 4, tied 0; points, 12.

Points: Sorrell, Detroit, 4 goals, 7 assists; 11 points.

Goals: Goodfellow, Detroit, 5; Barry, Boston, 5.

Assists: Sorrell, Detroit, 7; Weiland, Detroit, 7; Aurie, Detroit, 7.

Penalties: Barry, Boston, 26 minutes.

Shutouts: Thompson, Boston, 4.

Soccer Activities

Victoria City first and second division football elevens will hold a workout tomorrow evening at the Veterans of France clubrooms at 7:30 o'clock. All players are asked to attend, as a special meeting will follow the training session.

MANCHESTER CITY FACES SPURS IN THIRD ROUND

Cupholders Will Have Hands Full With Tottenham

Important Matches Carded in English Cup—Portsmouth, Last Year's Finalists, Drawn Against Huddersfield—Arsenal Has Easy Task With Brighton as Opposition

LONDON, Dec. 10 (CP).—Manchester City, the cupholders, were pitted against Tottenham Hotspurs in the draw for the third round of the English Soccer Cup made today. The third round is the start of intensive competition, the big clubs of the first and second divisions of the English League joining the survivors of earlier rounds.

Portsmouth, beaten in the cup final by Manchester City, is drawn at home against Huddersfield Town and the league champions, Arsenal, have an easy engagement at Brighton.

THE DRAW

The draw, games to be played January 12, is as follows:

Sheffield Wednesday vs. Oldham Athletic.
Aldershot vs. Reading.
Leicester City vs. Blackpool.
West Ham United vs. Stockport County.
Portsmouth vs. Huddersfield Town.
Brighton vs. Arsenal.
Burnley vs. Mansfield Town.
Yeovill Petters vs. Liverpool.
Northampton Town or Workington vs. Bolton Wanderers.
Wigan vs. Millwall.
Tottenham Hotspurs vs. Manchester City.
Southend United vs. Sheffield United.
Watford or Walsall vs. Southampton.
Bristol Rovers vs. Manchester United.
Everton vs. Grimsby Town.
Birmingham vs. Coventry City.
Preston North End vs. Barnsley.
York City vs. Derby County.
Sunderland vs. Fulham.
Swindon Town vs. Chesterfield.
Hull City vs. Newcastle United.
Wolverhampton vs. Notts County.
Leeds United vs. Bradford.
Bristol City vs. Bury.
Brentford vs. Plymouth Argyle.
Swansea Town vs. Stoke City.
Chester vs. Notts Forest.
Aston Villa vs. Bradford City.
Middlesbrough vs. Blackburn Rovers.
West Bromwich Albion vs. Port Vale.
Chelsea vs. Luton Town.
Norwich City vs. Bath City.

League Matches Will Be Played Here Saturday

LEAGUE soccer fixtures will hold sway Saturday with four games carded, two in the First Division and a like number in the Second Division. The complete schedule, released yesterday evening by J. R. Jones, secretary of the Victoria committee of the B.C. Football Commission, follows:

First Division

Esquimalt vs. Saanich Thistles, Royal Athletic Park; referee, Alcock.

Victoria West vs. Victoria City, Heywood Avenue; referee, McKay.

Second Division

Saanich Thistles vs. James Island, Beacon Hill, upper ground; referee, D. McMillan.

Esquimalt vs. Victoria City, Bullen's Park; referee, D. Swan.

All matches will commence at 2:15 o'clock.

NEW ORLEANS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 10.—Race results here today follow:

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Little Marcelle (Edwards) $4.00 $ 3.80 $3.60
Pent House (Corteletty).. .. 10.00 6.00
Red Vamp (Butcher).... .. .. 6.00
Time, 1:07.
Also ran: Theo Rochester, Pharahead, Mering, Considerate, Brown Polly, Britlon, Fountain, Blue John, Gulfenlane.

Second Race — Five and one-half furlongs:
Persuader (Vercher) $19.40 $9.40 $6.00
Refused (Turner) 7.40 4.00
Rouless (Taylor) 3.60
Time, 1:07 1-5.
Also ran: Jolly Rambler, Oelnikias, Distrust, Thistle Ginny, Cotton Patch, Marcola, Service Man, Grandma, Lady's Way.

Third Race—Six furlongs:
Golden Oriole (Corteletty) $22.00 $8.60 $4.00
Paper Profits (Mathews) .. 3.00 2.20
Bonnie Cap (Edwards).. .. .. 3.80
Time, 1:13 2-5.
Also ran: Santa Cruz, Big Blue, Ultimate Blue, Crestonian, Pantaloons, Simple Honors, Authority, Grand Voivode, Purple Patch.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:
Specs (Leonard) $22.00 $8.40 $6.00
Levi Cook (Fowler) 3.00 2.80
Simple Flower (Taylor).. .. .. 5.20
Time, 1:13 2-5.
Also ran: Shady Past, Hour Lady, Chief Osceola, Clamp, Easy Flight, Good Mary, Southland Poet, Black Anna, Docoster.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs:
Pitkin (Terry) $5.80 $3.00 $2.20
Ellen D. (Turner)........ .. 4.60 4.20
Mueller (Vercher) 3.40
Time, 1:12 2-5.
Also ran: Burnside, Meteoric, Preferred, Last Stand, Gunfore, Just High.

Sixth—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Demaragse (Fowler) $5.20 $3.00 $2.20
Bagnat [illegible] (Turner) 3.20 2.40
Arctic Star (Whooley).... .. .. 2.20
Time, 1:12 3-5.
Also ran: Indian Dance, Cordon Blue, Cosmos, Pompatic, Oakhurst, Baritone.

Seventh Race—One mile:
Anna L. (Whooley) $6.00 $4.40 $3.40
Royal Purchase (Petrella) .. 6.20 4.40
Little Bubbles (Wegner).. .. .. 6.00
Time, 1:41.
Also ran: Lady Emily, Ski, Polly's Filly, Nanny D., Satin Princess, Ducky Lass, Impti Wikl, Shirley B., Puttalong.

Weather clear; track fast.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

Entries follow:

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Hustling Time 106
Marie Line 101
Golden Throne 111
Lakar 106
Precious Betty 111
Bellona 108
Moving Clouds 103
Kelner 106
Dark Roamer 111
Highland Downs 111
Buffoonery 108
Butterfly 98
Little Ina 103
Jimmy N. 111
Miss Delba 103
Blondsure 106
Bad Penny 109
Dewrock 111

Second Race—Six furlongs:
Ma 105
El Cajon 106
Eleusaron 108
Tangalo 107
Mildness 108
Southland Belle 112
Divert 105
Manhandle 108
Lady Rockledge 104
Monks Bela 108
Mike Reynolds 111
Empress Kittie 105
Guide Book 103
Lothario 106
Gold Rose 100
Sash Cap 111
Aerial Trumpet 106
Sister Noah 108

Third Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Anna Feeback 104
Mom's Polly 107
Oecber 115
King Belgian 103
Penurious 103
Laughing Toi 105
Donna Lascari 105
Patricia C. 103
Primer 106
Spoiled Boy 108
Terry Lass 108
Ben Ciol 111
Vonnie 106
Hamburger Jim 111
Pleasure Toy 103
Fast Heels 109
Sidlea 106
Vonset 105

Fourth Race — Five and one-half furlongs:
Justa Princess 108
Surly 108
Dixie Bee 105
Vancetta 103
Nona 100
Bettle 108
Transmit 108
May McDonough 105
Sorcery 111
Foxy Quiller 111
Run On 106
Mount Washington 106
Illa Fusit 105
Almadel, Jr. 103
Proud Princess 103
Coote Hill 108
Marymount 100
Mokan 106

Fifth Race—Mile and one-eighth:
Catino 102
Ala Carte 109
Running Heel 109
Pan Toy 104
Dauntless Miss 106
Just Cap 99
Hildur Prince 104
Jack Murphy 108

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Wild Transit 99
Donie 107
Last Bid 109
Solus 108
Broadway Roxy 103
Supero 111
Stabilizer 107
Dark Altos 109
Donnatina 109
Royal Guinea 107
Eveline F. 100
Gay Follies 103
Bokie B. 113
Bobby Custer 112
Blind Puss 99
Hamilton 108
Oaten 111
Donna Wood 104

Seventh Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Traumagne 114
Bank Shot 105
Lion Hearted 114
Bobby Sweep 105
Backstep 110
Luck Piece 114
Sarcastic 110
Pretty Penny 106
Irish Maiden 107
Carcus Clarus 114
Brass Buttons 103
Dodiodi 110
Visionary 105
Flanude 106
More Power 110
Pet au Mint 109
Allegretto 109
Monocle 110

Eighth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Luke Connell 114
Ormontime 114
Inspector 105
Lilac Bloom 107
Tarnish 107
Bob Weidel 110
Dick Porter 105
Marabou 110
Miss Upset 102
Lightning Girl 106
Squeeze Play 110
Wee B. 102
Six Bells 106
Brown Admiral 110
Satin Princess 102
American Prince 110
Chiclero 109
Lazy Mary 106

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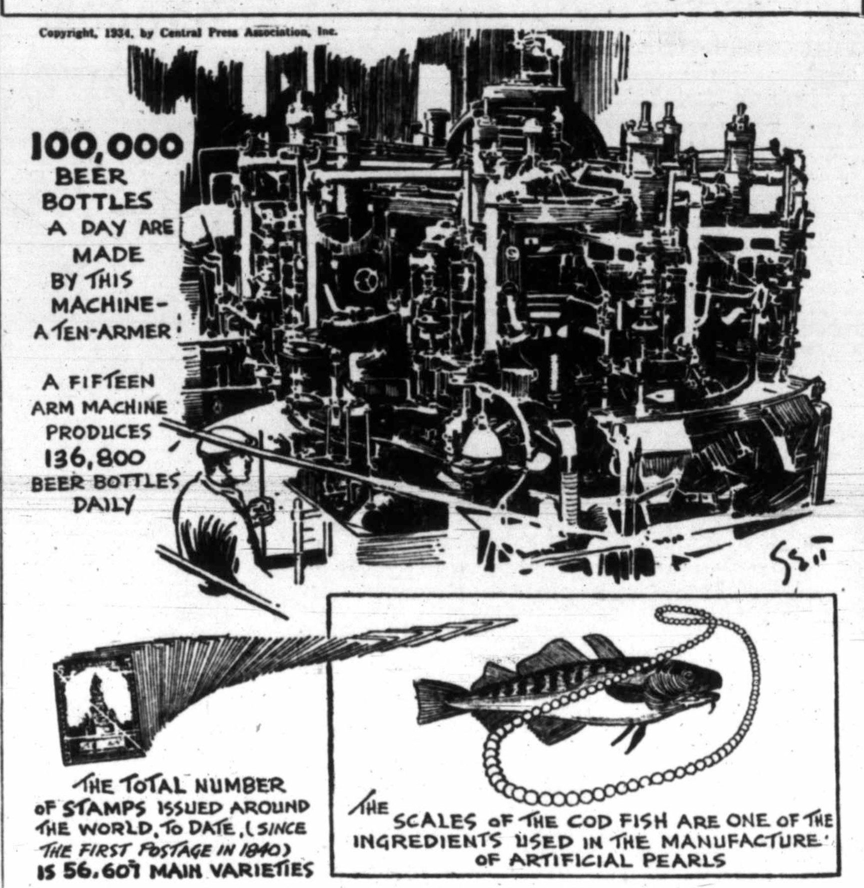

Barnstorming Tours Will Be Chief Topic

Injury to Jimmie Foxx Will Make Ball Officials Go Into Subject at Annual Meeting—Future of Babe Ruth to Come Up—Trading Slow

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—Baseball managers and club owners gathered in New York hotel lobbies today and officially inaugurated the annual major league meetings in strictly normal fashion —doing absolutely nothing.

The formal conclaves will not start until tomorrow, when the National League magnates gather at the Waldorf Astoria, and the American League owners sit in judgment on the year at the Commodore. They will do the same Wednesday. Then they will meet together at the Roosevelt on Thursday.

The National League's chief problem is to handle with tact the efforts of Judge Emil Fuchs, chief stockholder in Boston Braves, to use his ball park evenings this Summer for dog racing.

The American League, with President William Harridge in the chair, will go deeply into the subject of allowing post-season barnstorming tours (in one of which Jimmie Foxx suffered a brain concussion at Winnipeg this Fall), and bonus clauses in player contracts.

FUTURE OF RUTH

The future of Babe Ruth, now barnstorming in the Orient, is certain to come up unofficially, if not officially, and the league must decide which city will stage 1935's all-star game, with Cleveland the probably choice.

Contrary to previous belief, managers confided today as they met in the opening lobby skirmishes, that major trades probably would be scarce. The big shifts of the Cardinals, Pirates and Cubs at the minor league meetings in Louisville, and the constant manoeuvrings since the world series ended, have pretty well settled the trading field. Managers haven't many offers that haven't already been heard.

RIFLE SHOOTING

The 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, C.A., will hold its annual Christmas turkey shoot at the Bay Street Armories on Tuesday and Friday evenings of this week. Shooting will commence at 7:30, and a large number is expected to compete. Any member of the brigade who has attended practice shoots will be eligible. Prizes also will be awarded.

Selene is the Greek name of the moon and its goddess.

TOWNSEND TO FACE WALLACE

Vancouver Pair to Meet for Second Time Tonight—Both Confident

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—Rugged Billy Townsend comes back to the fistic wars tomorrow in an effort to wipe out the memory of a month-old defeat at the hands of Vancouver's newest boxing sensation, Gordon Wallace.

For Townsend it will be the start of the long comeback trail in the blonde belter's attempt to fight his way back to the ranks of the top-notch welterweights, a position he held until two years ago.

Both boys wound up training today with light gym exercises, the last action they will have until they meet over the ten-round route tomorrow night.

IS IMPRESSIVE

Townsend's impressive workouts have brought the odds down from 2 to 1 to 7 to 5 in favor of Wallace, but a good many fight fans believe Billy stands at least an even chance of avenging the fifteen-round defeat he received at the hands of the slender Wallace a month ago.

Wallace supporters are equally confident that the hard-hittnig young Gordon will repeat his former victory and go on to a Dominion-sanctioned bout for the Canadian welter crown against either Tommy Bland, of Toronto, or Ron Headley, Ottawa.

Victoria Joins Drive to Bring Easterners Here

As the result of a conference in Vancouver over the week-end, Victoria will join with the Pacific Coast tourist organization in carrying out a campaign in Eastern Canada and United States for 1935 tourists.

The organizations represented will be called upon to raise $16,000 for the initial campaign. Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle will share in the campaign through the medium of the Puget Sounders and British Columbians Associated. Other organizations that will participate are located in Oregon and California.

Mayor David Leeming and George I. Warren, publicity commissioner, represented the city at the Mainland conference.

A joint folder featuring the major attractions of the Pacific Coast from the San Francisco Bay north, was also planned at the meeting. It is proposed to print 200,000 folders and to have motion pictures taken and used by a lecturer who will go East to make personal contacts, keeping in touch with ticket agents, travel bureaus, auto clubs, newspapers and magazines.

Announce Team for Nanaimo Game; Two Players Are Suspended

SELECTED yesterday evening, Victoria United soccer eleven to play Nanaimo at the Up-Island town, Sunday afternoon, in the second game of the Brackman-Ker Cup series is, with one exception, the same as that which defeated the Up-Islanders, 5-4, here, earlier this season. The only change will be Wally Rowe, in goal, in place of Louis De Costa, who is under suspension. The team follows: Goal, Wally Rowe; fullbacks, Reg Stofer, Doug Laird; halfbacks, Ronnie Williams, Joe Crowe, Jimmy Hay; forwards, Eddie Viggers, "Scotty" Stewart, John Watt, Noel Morgan and George Payne. Substitutes: Wes Harper, Bill Boyd and Mike Wagland. It was learned here, yesterday, that "Scotty" Robinson, of the Victoria Wests, and Louis De Costa, Esquimalt's clever net custodian, were suspended for their conduct at Heywood Avenue, when they were both ordered from the field by Referee Alcock, for fighting. Robinson's suspension, it is understood, terminates today, while De Costa stands in the pale until December 18.

Race Tightens Up In Puck Scoring; Jackson in Front

Robinson, Hooley Smith and Schriner Press Leaf Sharpshooters—Johnny Sorrell Leading American Division—Eddie Goodfellow and Cooney Weiland Follow

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—A noticeable tightening up of the race for scoring honors in the National Hockey League occurred during the past week, the statistics issued by President Frank Calder, tonight, showed.

HOOLEY SMITH

Abatement in the forward rush of Toronto Maple Leafs, the six-game winning streak of Montreal Maroons which included an 8-2 victory, and heavy scoring on other fronts left the dominance of the Leaf sharpshooters, Harvey Jackson and Charlie Conacher, much less pronounced.

Johnny Sorrell, Detroit Red Wings, took over leadership in the United States section with four goals, seven assists, eleven points, was but two points below Conacher with 6-7-13, while Jackson, leading the whole league, had 10-4-14.

Earl Robinson and Hooley Smith, sharing heavily in Maroon successes, drove upward from well down the lists to take over third and fourth positions, respectively, in the Canadian section. Robinson is second only to Jackson in the whole league in goals scored, with seven, while Smith, centre of a new line, leads everyone in assists, with eight. He has but one goal to his credit.

GOODFELLOW WELL UP

Detroit, second highest scoring team in the league to date, has a commanding lead in the United States section, placing five men in the first six. Ebbie Goodfellow, most consistent scorer among the defencemen, is tied with Cooney Weiland for second place in the section, each with ten points, while Larry Aurie is tied with Tommy Cook for fourth with nine points and Herb Lewis, third member of the Weiland-Aurie-Lewis front line, is next with eight.

The standings show Alex Connell, of Maroons, with the best goaling record in so far as goals against are concerned. He has let in thirteen in nine games. Lorne Chabot, ably filling the late Charlie Gardiner's place with Chicago, is second with fifteen in an equal number of games.

Most penalized defenceman is still Red Horner, Leafs, with thirty-five minutes served. Irvine Frew, of St. Louis, follows with twenty-eight.

Scoring leaders:

CANADIAN SECTION

	G.	A.	P.	Pen. in Min.
Jackson, Toronto	10	4	14	4
Conacher, Toronto	6	7	13	11
Robinson, Montl.	7	3	10	6
Smith, Montl.	1	8	9	8
Schriner, Amerks.	4	4	8	4
Howe, St. Louis	5	2	7	6
Blinco, Montl.	4	3	7	2
Mondou, Cdns.	4	3	7	0
Chapman, Amerks.	2	5	7	4
Lamb, Canadiens	4	2	6	4
Voss, St. Louis	1	5	6	2
Marker, Montl.	5	0	5	0
Kilree, Toronto	3	2	5	6
Trottier, Montl.	2	3	5	8
Cain, Montl.	2	3	5	0
Doraty, Toronto	1	4	5	0
Burke, Amerks.	1	4	5	2
E. Roche, St. Louis	3	1	4	2
Evans, Montl.	3	1	4	14
Cotton, Toronto	2	2	4	9
Thoms, Toronto	2	2	4	6
Hollett, Toronto	1	3	4	6
Brydson, St. Louis	1	3	4	4
Riley, Canadiens	1	3	4	2
Blair, Toronto	1	3	4	14

AMERICAN SECTION

	G.	A.	P.	Pen. in Min.
Sorrell, Detroit	4	7	11	4
Goodfellow, Det.	5	5	10	25
Weiland, Det.	3	7	10	4
T. Cook, Chicago	4	5	9	9
Aurie, Detroit	2	7	9	8
Lewis, Detroit	3	5	8	6
Barry, Boston	5	2	7	26
W. Cook, Rangers	4	3	7	2
Wiseman, Det.	4	2	6	10
Gottselig, Chicago	4	1	5	2
Patrick, Rangers	2	3	5	7
Connolly, Rangers	2	3	5	13
Boucher, Rangers	2	3	5	0
F. Cook, Rangers	2	3	5	6
Stewart, Boston	1	4	5	12
Seibert, Rangers	1	4	5	14
Dillon, Rangers	4	0	4	0
Trudel, Chicago	3	1	4	4
Murdoch, Rangers	3	1	4	4
Young, Detroit	3	1	4	2
Shill, Boston	2	2	4	2
Clapper, Boston	2	2	4	12
Pettinger, Detroit	1	3	4	2
Morenz, Chicago	1	3	4	0
Shore, Boston	1	3	4	11
Heller, Rangers	1	3	4	4
March, Chicago	1	3	4	13
Levinsky, Rangers	0	4	4	4

Nels Tarleton Defends Crown Against Crowley

LONDON, Dec. 10 (CP). — Nels Tarleton, of Liverpool, successfully defended his British featherweight boxing title against Dave Crowley, of London, in a bout at the Wembley Sports Arena this evening, outpointing Crowley over the fifteen-round route. It was Tarleton's third successful defence and gave him permanent possession of the Lonsdale Belt.

Juvenile Basketball

Final first half fixtures for squads in the Royal Juvenile Athletic Association Basketball League, were announced yesterday by President W. J. Pynn, as follows:

December 12—St. Louis College vs. Royals, Memorial Hall, at 5:30 o'clock.

December 14—Christ Church vs. Miracles, Memorial Hall, at 6 o'clock.

December 17 — Royals vs. New Method Laundry, J.B.A.A., at 8:30 o'clock.

December 21—Royals vs. St. Louis College, Centennial gymnasium, at 8 o'clock.

Esquimalt Beats James Island, 6-2

Playing at James Island Sunday afternoon, Esquimalt defeated the Islanders, 6-2, in a second division, Victoria and District Football League match. It was the first setback of the season for the home eleven.

Jean Lafitte was a noted pirate of the Mexican Gulf.

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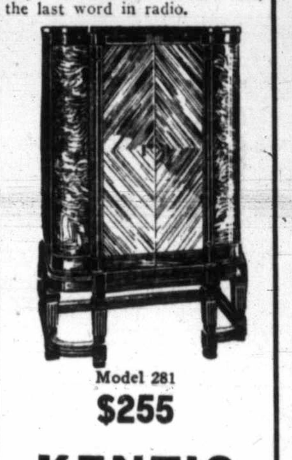

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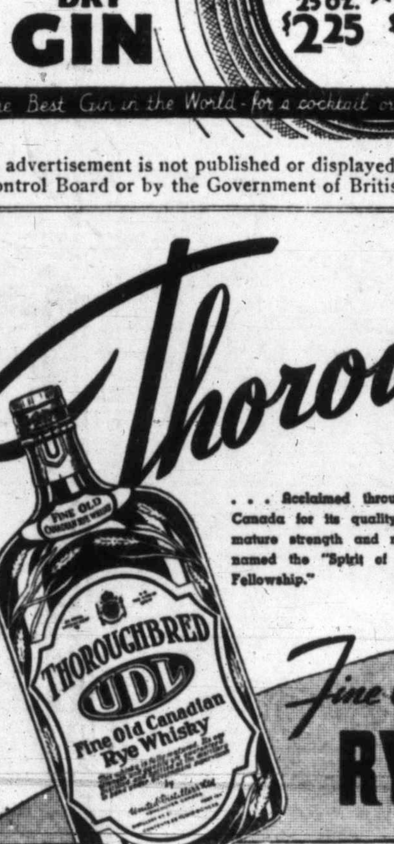

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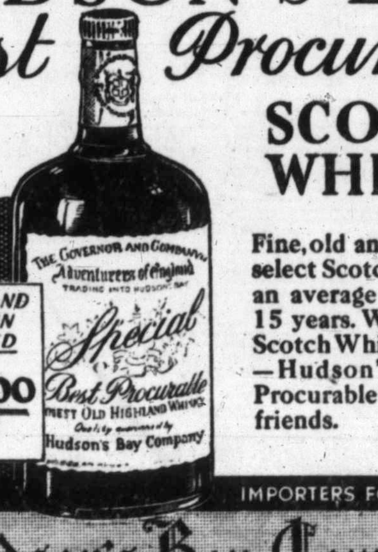

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stocks Turn to Lower Levels at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP). — A gleam of speculative interest in silver shares and a few specialties brightened the stock market somewhat today, but failed to arrest a drifting descent. Turnover declined to 849,417 shares.

U.S. Smelting ran up more than three points. Cerro de Pasco finished nearly a point higher.

Hahn Department Stores preferred spurted more than 3 points to a new top.

J. I. Case preferred, Caterpillar Traction, American Bank Note, Coca-Cola, Evena Products, International Business Machines, McLellan Stores, Liquid Carbonic, J. C. Penney and Union Tank contributed gains of 1 to 2 points. Homestake Mining was bid up 10 points on a transfer of 100 shares.

In contrast, U.S. Steel common, General Motors, Radio "B," Montgomery Ward, Du Pont and other prominent shares sagged.

Noranda and Bell Telephone of Canada, each advancing a point, were the best performers in the Canadian list.

Prime investment loans generally maintained a steady to firm tone in the bond market. Secondary issues were indifferent. In the foreign list, Argentines sagged, along with some loans of Poland, Norway and France.

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	High	Low	Close
ELECTRICAL AND MANUFACTURING			
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	15-5	15-2	15-2
Elec. Auto Lite	27-5	27-2	27-2
Elec. Bond & Share	8-2	8-1	8-1
El Storage Batt.	47	..	47
General Electric	20-2	19-7	20
Westinghouse Elec.	35	34-6	34-6
MISCELLANEOUS AND MANUFACTURING			
Am. Can Co.	102-2	106-6	106-6
Bendix	16-4	15-2	16-4
Burroughs Adding	15-2	..	15-2
Case Threshing	55	54	55
Celanese Corpn.	30	29-1	30
Congoleum-Nairn	33-7	33-2	33-7
Continental Can.	61-6	61	61-2
Curtiss-Wright	3-1	..	3-1
Deere Corpn.	25-1	25	25-1
Douglas Aircraft	24-3	24	24-1
Eastman Kodak	113	..	112
Gillette	12-6	..	13-6
Gold Dust	18-2	18	18
Ind. Rayon	64	..	64
Int. Harvester	39-4	38-6	39-4
Natl. Cash Register	18	17-7	18
Nor. Ame. Av.	4	3-6	4
Pullman	46-6	46-4	46-4
Radio Corpn. of Am.	6-3	6	6
Simmons Co.	10-5	..	10-5
United Airways	15	14-2	14-7
RAILS			
Allegheny Corpn.	1-4	..	1-4
Atchison	55-3	54-3	55-3
Balt. & Ohio	14-7	14-5	14-6
Can. Pacific	12	11-7	11-7
Ches. & Ohio	41-4	41-1	41-4
Chicago & Northw.	5-2	..	5-2
Gt. Northern pfd.	16-6	16-3	16-6
Ill. Central	17-4	..	17-4
Mo., K. & Texas	6-3	6-2	6-2
N.Y. Central	21-6	21-4	21-6
Northern Pacific	21-2	20-6	21
Pennsylvania R.R.	24	..	24
Southern Pacific	18-3	17-6	18-3
Union Pacific	105-2	105	105
STEEL AND IRON			
Amn. Locomotive	18-7	..	18-7
Baldwin Loco	5-3	5-2	5-2
Bethlehem Steel	31-2	30-7	31
Byers (AM) Co.	19-3	..	19-3
Lima Loco	20-2	20	20-2
Rep. Iron & Steel	14-5	14-2	14-4
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	20-7	..	20-7
U.S. Steel	38-2	37-4	37-6
AUTOMBILE AND ACCESSORIES			
Briggs	26	25-2	26
Chrysler	39-6	39-3	39-5
General Motor	32-5	32-3	32-4
Hudson	11-7	11-5	11-7
Hupp.	3	..	3
Mack Truck	27-4	27-2	27-4
Nash	18-6	18-5	18-6
Packard	4-6	4-3	4-6
Stewart-Warner	8-5	..	8-5
Studebaker	2	1-7	1-7
Timken Roller	31-7	31-5	31-5
TIRES AND RUBBER			
Goodrich	11	..	11
Goodyear	25-2	24-6	24-6
U.S. Rubber	17-6	17-5	17-6
U.S. Rubber pfd.	43-6	43	43-6
PUBLIC UTILITY			
Amn. Foreign Power	4-6	..	4-6
Amn. Power & Lt.	3-7	..	3-7
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	110	109	110
Amn. Waterworks	14-4	..	14-4
Brook. Man.	42-2	41-2	41-2
Columbia Gas	8	7-6	7-6
Comw. & South.	1-2	1-1	1-2
Consol. Gas. N.Y.	23-3	23-1	23-2
Inter. Tel. & Tel.	9	8-6	8-7
North American	12-5	12-3	12-4
Public Serv.	31	30-2	30-2
Stand. Gas & Elec.	5-4	..	5-4
Util. Pow. & Lt. "A"	2	..	2
Western Union	35-4	..	35-4
FOOD PRODUCTS			
Amn. Sugar	67	66-6	67
Armour "A"	5-5	5-2	5-2
Borden Co.	24-4	..	24-4
Canada Dry	16-2	16-1	16-1
Coca Cola	160-4	..	160-4
Corn Products	66-4	66	66-4
Gen. Foods	34-7	34-4	34-4
Gt. West Sugar	29-6	29-2	29-4
National Biscuit	29-6	29-3	29-3
Natl. Dairy Prod.	17-2	16-7	16-7
Standard Brands	19	18-5	18-6
United Fruit	73-6	73-2	73-6
APPAREL			
American Woolen	8-2	..	8-2
RETAIL TRADE			
Associated Dry Goods	11-5	..	11-5
Fom. Stores	12	..	12
S. S. Kresge Co., ex-d.	20-7	20-6	20-6
Montgomery Ward	29-6	29-3	29-3
Sears Roebuck	41-6	40-2	40-2
Walgreen	28-5	28	28
F. W. Woolworth	54-7	53-6	53-6
TOBACCOS			
Amn. Tob. "B"	82-6	81-6	81-6
Liggett Meyers "B"	105-4	..	105-4
Lorillard	22-1	21-7	21-7
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	52	51-2	52
MISCELLANEOUS			
Int. Cement	29	28-6	28-6
Johns-Manville	53	52	52-3
Loews	36-6	36-2	36-5
Otis Elevator	14-7	..	14-7
Paramount Famous	3	..	3
Radio-Keith-Orpheum	2-1	2	2
Trans-America	5-6	..	5-6
Warner Bros.	4-7	4-6	4-6
CHEMICAL			
Air Reduction	112	111-6	111-6
Allied Chemical	135	..	135
Amn. Com. Alco.	33	32-6	32-6
Com. Solvents	22-4	22	22
Freeport, Texas	26-6	26	26
Liquid Carbonic	27-5	27	27-4
Mathieson Alkali	28-6	..	28-6
Nat. Distillers	28-4	27-6	28-2
Tex. Gulf Sulphur	34-4	..	34-4
Union Carbide	45-6	45-4	45-5
U.S. Ind. Alcohol	45-4	..	45-4
OIL AND REFINING			
Amerada	48-4	..	48-4
Atlantic Ref.	24-6	24-5	24-5
Consol Oil	8-1	8	8
Cont. Oil	18-5	18-4	18-4
Phillips Petro	15	..	15
Pure Oil	6-7	6-6	6-7
Royal Dutch	29-4	28-5	28-5
Shell Union Oil	7	6-7	6-7
Stand. Gas, Cal.	32	31-4	31-4
Stand. Gas, N.J.	41-7	41-5	41-7
Socony	14-6	14-4	14-6
Texas Corp.	21-2	21	21
Union Oil, Cal.	16	..	16
MINING AND SMELTING			
Alaska Juneau	18-6	..	18-6
Amn. Smelting	37-7	37-1	37-6
Anaconda Copper	11-4	11-2	11-4
Cerro De Pasco	43	41-4	43
Dome	38	..	38
Granby	7-1	6-7	7
Howe Sound	52-3	51-4	51-4
Int. Nickel	23-5	23-3	23-4
Kennecott	17-4	17-1	17-3
McIntyre	41-5	..	41-5
Noranda	32-5	33-2	33-5
Park Utah	3-3	..	3-3
Phelps Dodge	15	14-6	15
U.S. Smelting	126-2	123	125-4

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP). — Foreign exchange irregular. Quotations in cents.
France — Demand 6.59⅛; cables 6.59⅛.
Italy—Demand 8.53½; cables 8.53½.
Demand:
Belgium—23.38.
Germany—40.17.
Holland—67.61.
Norway—24.92.
Sweden—25.57.
Denmark—22.14.
Finland—2.21.
Switzerland—32.36.
Spain—13.65.
Portugal—4.51.
Greece—.94.
Poland—18.93.
Czechoslovakia—4.18.
Jugoslavia—2.28.
Austria—18.83.
Hungary—29.75.
Rumania—1.01.
Argentina—33.00.
Brazil—8.60½.
Tokio—28.94.
Shanghai—34.70.
Hongkong—42.70.
Mexico City (silver peso)—27.85.
Montreal—In New York 102.09⅜.
New York—In Montreal 97.96⅝.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—Quotations in dollars. Demand 4.95⅝; cables 4.95⅝; sixty-day bills 4.95.

TORONTO MINES CLOSE WEAKER

Little Long Lac Advances but Losses Extend Over Much of Board

TORONTO, Dec. 10 (CP). — The mining market displayed a fagged appearance in today's trading, the technical strength having become impaired by the short covering in the closing sessions of last week.

Little Long Lac registered an advance on heavy turnover, and Noranda with a gain of 75 cents supplied strong leadership for the base metals, but over the board recessions were much in the majority at the close. Volume showed some improvement, totaling close to half a million shares.

Noranda sold up to 33.00 for broken lots and closed at 32.75, reflecting the firmness of the metal group on the New York board. Falconbridge eased back 5 cents, Eldorado added 4 cents, Bear Exploration 1 1-2 and White Eagle 2 1-4.

Secondary gold issues perked up moderately in the last half hour, adding advances up to 5 cents for Macassa, God's Lake, South American Gold and Siscoe. Sylvanite added 6 cents.

Soft spots in the penny group were Grandoro, Kirkland Lake, Bobjo, Roche, St. Anthony, Parkhill and Stadacona. Cibougamau, Brownlee, Bagamac and Porcupine Crown closed with gains.

The cheap oils sold off to record losses for Ajax, Acme and Olga. Chemical Research was taken for a five-cent advance to 2.15.

(Bate & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.16½	.17
Alta	.85	1.00
Amm. Antia	.1⅝	.1⅞
Bagamac	.07½	.07⅞
Base Metals	.59	.60
Bear Exploration	.24	.25
Beattie	1.96	2.00
Big Missouri	.30½	.35
Bobjo	.25	.27
Bradian	2.25	2.30
Bralorne	12.40	12.50
B.R.X.	.22¼	.23
Buffalo Ankerite	2.99	3.00
Canadian Malartic	.56	.60
Cariboo	1.25	1.40
Castle Trethaway	.65¼	.66
Central Patricia	.96	.99½
Chemical Research	2.12	2.15
Coast Copper	2.20	2.45
Coniaurum	1.95	2.03
Dome	36.75	37.75
Eldorado	1.05	1.07
Falconbridge	3.57	3.60
God's Lake	1.61	1.62
Granada	.13	.15
Greenstabel	.30	.33
Gunnar	.56	.58
Home Oil	.56	.64
Hollinger	18.80	18.90
Hudson Bay	12.00	12.20
Howey	1.02	1.03
Jackson Manion	.22	.23
Kirkland Lake	.53¾	.55
Lakeshore	51.10	52.15
Lee	.03½	.03½
Little Long Lac	5.75	5.80
Macassa	2.42	2.45
Maple Leaf	.07½	.08
Manitoba & Eastern	.15	.16
McIntyre	40.60	41.25
McKenzie Red Lake	1.20	1.21
McVittie Graham	.30½	.34
McWatters	.38	.39
Mining Corporation	1.08	1.10
International Nickel	.22¾	.22⅞
Nipissing	2.33	2.40
Noranda	32.60	23.00
Parkhill	.19½	.20
Paymaster	.21	.21½
Pend Oreille	.41	.45
Pickle Crow	1.58	1.59
Pioneer	11.40	11.75
Premier	1.38	1.40
Reid Authier	.70½	.72
Reno	1.10	1.12
Roche Long Lac	.08¼	.08⅝
Royalite	18.50	17.25
San Antonio	4.26	4.30
Sheritt-Gordon	.46	.50
Siscoe	2.56	2.59
St. Anthony	.28	.30
Sudbury Basin	1.18	1.20
Sylvanite	2.31	2.35
Teck Hughes	3.92	3.94
Ventures	.90	.91
Wayside	.09	.09¼
White Eagle	.09½	.10
Wright-Hargreaves	8.30	8.45
Bankfield	.52	.55
Gabriel	.59	.63
McLeod Cockshutt	.10½	.11¼
Smelters Gold	..	.18½
Toburn	1.22	1.27

MINING STOCKS ARE IRREGULAR

Cariboo Gold and Vidette Sag at Vancouver—Sally Mines Gain Strongly

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—Cariboo Gold and Vidette were heavy losers in a quiet trading session on the Vancouver Stock Exchange, today, the former off 10 at 1.35, and the latter down 8 at 42.

Premier Gold, the most active trader, was off 2 at 1.38, and Fairview Amalgamated eased a cent. Bralorne gained 5 at 12.40, Reno, B.R.X. and Home Gold all gained a cent, and Meridian and Minto each firmed 3-4. United Empire gained 1-2 cent at 8 1-2.

Sally Mines gained 5 at 52, and Big Missouri was up 1-2 cent. B.C. Nickel was unchanged at 40, and National Silver and Porter Idaho each lost 1-4 cent.

Ranchmen's was up 2 at 77 and Mar. Jon firmed 1-2 cent at 16. Other oil shares were quiet and unchanged.

MORNING SALES

Oils

C. & E.—200 at .70.
Model—200 at .20.
Home—500 at .55.
Highwood S.—2,000 at 14¼.
Merland—200 at .20¾.
Ranchmen's—300 at .80; 200 at .83; 50 at .85; 50 at .86.

Mines

Bradian—50 at 2.25.
Beaver S.—500 at .07.
B.R.X.—500 at .23.
Meridian—4,000 at .11; 3,300 at .11½.
Premier G.—2,000 at 1.39; 6,100 at 1.40.
Reno—1,000 at 1.08.
Sally—3,000 at .48; 500 at .49 (b.60); 1,100 at .50; 1,800 at .52; 200 at .53 (b.60).
Taylor B.—800 at .33; 200 at .35.
Vanalta—1,800 at .08.
Wayside—2,000 at .09¼; 6,000 at .09¼; 500 at .09½.
B.C. Nickel—1,325 at .40; 500 at .41.
Big Missouri—250 at .30½; 1,500 at .31.
Canada R.—2,000 at .07; 500 at .07½.
Atlin P.—500 at .13.
Dentonia—300 at .42; 500 at 42½.
Dictator—4,000 at .03; 1,500 at .03½.
Dunwell—1,000 at .15.
Grange—500 at .22; 300 at .23.
Hedley A.—700 at .27.
Herculese C.—10,000 at .01¾.
Kootenay B.—100 at .58.
Home—200 at .11; 1,500 at .12.
Minto—7,500 at 15¼; 100 at 15½.
Noble Five—3,000 at .07.
Porter I.—1,000 at 8½.
Taylor W.—200 at .15.

AFTERNOON SALES

Oils

C. & E.—300 at .70.
Model—500 at .20.
Mar Jon—2,000 at .16; 1,000 at .16¼; 2,000 at .16½ (b60); 1,000 at .16½ (b60).
Ranchmen's—700 at .80.

Mines

Beaver S.—500 at .07.
Bralorne—25 at 12.40.
Cariboo—400 at 1.38; 100 at 1.44; 200 at 1.45.
Meridian—2,000 at .11¼; 2,500 at .11½.
Morning S.—400 at .09½.
Nicola—500 at .09.
Premier G.—300 at 1.39; 70 at 1.40.
Reno—1,200 at 1.10.
Sally—500 at .51; 500 at .53.
Taylor B.—4,000 at .33.
Vanalta—100 at .08.
Wayside—3,500 at .09¼; 1,000 at .09⅜; 100 at .09½.
B.C. Nickel—1,700 at .40.
Dictator—1,000 at .03.
Dentonia—100 at .42.
Fairview A.—2,000 at .17; 1,000 at .17½ (b60).
Grange—1,400 at .23.
Hedley A.—1,200 at .26½.
Home—2,000 at .12.
Kootenay B.—300 at .58.
Independence—8,000 at .01½.
Minto—500 at .15¾; 700 at .16; 150 at .17.
Porter I.—1,000 at .08½.
Pilot—500 at .04¾; 3,000 at .05.
Vidette—1,600 at .50.
Waterloo—2,000 at .03.
Whitewater—2,000 at .04½.

Industrials

Coast Breweries—20 at 13.00.

London Stocks

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP).—Closing: Brazilian Traction, $10 1-4; Canadian Pacific, $12; International Nickel, $23 1-2; British - American Tobacco, £6 1-4; Courtaulds, 45s; Distillers, 93s 9d; Dunlop Rubber, 48s 3d; Hudson's Bay, 23s; Imperial Chemical, 36s 4 1-2d; Imperial Tobacco, 137s; Mining Trust, Ltd., 2s 1 1-2d; Rand Mines, £7; Rhodesian Anglo-American, 9s 6d; Rhokana Corp., £4 3-8; Crowns, £13 1-8; Springs, £8 1-2; East Geduld, £9; Rio Tintos, £14; Royal Dutch, £17 3-4; Vickers, 9s 6d.

Bonds: Canadian 4 per cent loan, 1953-58, £112 1-2; British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £89 1-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £106 7-8; British Funding 4s, 1960-90, £118 7-8.

Leading Stocks at Eastern Exchanges Close Shade Lower

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—Strength in Consolidated Smelters provided the sole highlight of today's trading on the Montreal Stock Exchange, the rest of the list was irregular.

On expectations of the declaration of a dividend bonus, Consolidated Smelters spurted 2 7-8 points at 139.

Hamilton Bridge pfd. on gossip of liquidation slumped 4 points at 24. Canada Cement preferred lost 2.

Nickel, C.P.R. and Brazilian Traction all recorded fractional losses.

Canadian Foreign Investment at 29 1-4 was up 1-4. Bathurst gained a fraction.

Among miscellaneous industrials Agnew-Surpass and Massey-Harris declined while Sherwin-Williams advanced 1-2 point.

Distillers-Seagrams dipped a point at 13 1-2 on the curb.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE

TORONTO, Dec. 10 (CP).—Distillers Corporation-Seagrams shares provided the main market on the industrial section of the Toronto Exchange, today, 17,000 shares of the issue coming out in a total turnover of 36,500 shares. The offerings were absorbed on a net price decline of 3-8 to 13 5-8. Seagrams had its weakest spell soon after the opening when the price was off to 13 1-4. The selling had an unsettling effect on the rest of the list, but it managed to close with thirty-seven gains against twenty-seven recessions.

Domestic listings were inclined to hold, while the interlisted group was slightly soft. Nickel, C.P.R., British American Oil and International Petroleum dropped small fractions. Ford "A" closed unchanged and Imperial Oil added 1-8. Smelters moved up with the New York metals, adding 2 points on Saturday's closing price.

Walker's common and Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" traded in moderate volume, with the former up 1-2 and the latter closing unchanged. Brewery stocks continued rather lifeless and the banks were slow, with narrow losses predominating.

Buoyancy was displayed by the steel group on modest buying, and the implement stocks were down the smallest fractions. Page Hersey, Union Steel and Dominion Bridge were up. The tone was mildly heavy in the construction group, with losses showing for the Canada Cement shares and Dominion Tar pfd.

Higher prices ruled for Goodyear, pfd., Cosmos, Hind & Dauche, the canners issues and the Canada Bread stocks.

(C. M. Oliver & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
B.A. Oils	14⅝	14⅞
B.C. Power "A"	27	27⅜
Building Products	23	23¼
B.C. Power "B"	4½	5
Beath & Sons	..	3
Biltmore Hats	13½	..
Bell Telephone	127	127½
Blue Ribbon	3½	4
Brazilian Traction	9⅝	10
Brewing Corporation	3⅝	4
Brewers & Distillers	.65	..
Bruck Silk Mills	13	15
Burt & Co.	29	31
Canada Bud	7¼	8
Canada Bread	3⅝	3⅞
Canada Hydro Pref.	70	..
Canada Canners	5½	5¾
Canada Cement	7½	7¾
Canada Car & Foundry	7½	8
Canada Malting	28½	28⅞
Canada Dredge	22	22¾
Canada Wire & Cable "A"	19	..
Canadian Bakeries	11	11⅛
Canadian General Electric	155	..
Cockshutt Plough	7½	7¾
Consolidated Smelters	139	139½
Cosmos Imp. Mills	13	13⅞
Consumers Gas	189	190½
Dominion Bridge	32½	33
Dominion Stores	11½	11¾
Ford "A"	24⅞	25
General Steel Wares	4	4¾
Gypsum	5¼	5½
Goodyear Tire & R. Pfd.	135	137
Hiram Walkers	26¼	26½
Imperial Oil	16¼	16½
Imperial Tobacco	12⅛	12⅜
International Petroleum	29¾	30
International Nickel	22¾	22⅞
Industrial Alcohol "A"	6⅞	7
Industral Alcohol "B"	7	..
International Utilities "A"	..	2
International Utilities "B"	..	30
Loblaw "A"	17⅜	17½
Loblaw "B"	17	17¼
Massey-Harris	4½	4⅝
Montreal Power	30½	31
McCall-Frontenac	13	13¼
Page Hersey	73½	74
Power Corporation	8⅛	8½
Quebec Power	16	16⅝
Shawnigan	16	17
Steel of Canada	40½	41
Weston	46	46¼
Winnipeg Electric	1⅞	2⅝
BANKS		
Can. Bank of Commerce	164½	165
Dominion Bank	194½	197
Imperial Bank	196	200
Bank of Montreal	202	204
Bank of Nova Scotia	277	279
Royal Bank	166½	168
Bank of Toronto	217¼	220
Bank of Canada	55¼	55⅝

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WHEAT PRICES OFF FRACTIONS

Futures Drop at Winnipeg as Outside Markets Show General Weakness

WINNIPEG, Dec. 10 (CP).—Prices on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange joined a general downward trend on the world's grain markets today. Wheat values closed 3-4 to 1-2 cent lower; December at 79 1-8; May, 84, and July, 84 3-4 cents.

Buying orders were few in an uninteresting session, and prices, given a setback early, were never able to recover. Trading was the smallest in some time.

Liverpool closed 7-8d lower, Buenos Aires eased 3-4 cent, and Chicago showed a net 1-2 cent decline.

The day's statistics were discouraging. Total world wheat shipments were 8,322,000 bushels for the week, compared to 10,134,000 last week. Of this, North America exported 2,292,000 bushels and 4,238,000 last week.

Cash and coarse grains were also quiet and easier.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(Jenks, Gwynne & Co.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
Dec.	79⅞	79⅞	79⅞	78⅞	79⅛
May	84½	84⅝	84⅝	83⅞	84
July	85¼	85¼	85¼	84½	84⅞
Oats—					
Dec.	42⅞	42⅝	42⅝	42¼	42¼
May	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	44⅝	44⅝
July	45	45⅛	45⅛	44⅝	44⅝
Rye—					
Dec.	60¼	60¼	60¼	59⅝	59⅝
May	64¼	63⅞	64	63¼	63⅝
July	64⅝	64⅛	64⅝	64⅛	64⅛
Barley—					
Dec.	56¼	56	56½	55½	55⅝
May	59	59	58⅝	58	58⅛
July	..	59	59	58⅝	58⅝
Flax—					
Dec.	139⅝	139¼	139¼	139	139¼
May	144⅝	144½	144½	144	144
July	..	145½	145½	144⅞	144⅞

Cash Grain

Wheat—1 Hard, 81⅛; 1 North., 79⅝; 2 North., 76⅝; Feed, 67½; Track, 79⅝; Amber Durum No. 1, 87⅛; No. 2, 82⅛; No. 3, 78⅛; Track, 86⅛; A.R.W., 73⅛; No. 2, 71⅛; No. 3, 69⅛.

Oats—2 C.W., 44¼; 3 C.W., 39¼; Ex. 1 Feed, 39¼; 1 Feed, 37½; No. 2, 34½; No. 3, 32¼; Track 42¼.

Barley—2 R.O.W., 59⅝; 6 R.P.W., 70⅝; 3 C.W., 55⅝; 4 C.W., 52⅛; Track 55⅝.

Rye—1 C.W., 59⅝; 2 C.W., 59⅝; 3 C.W., 56⅝; Rej. 2, 53⅝; Track 59⅝.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 139⅛; 2 C.W., 135⅛; 3 C.W., 121⅛; Track, 139.

CHICAGO GRAIN
(Jenks, Gwynne & Co.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
Dec.	101⅝	101⅝	101½	100½	101⅛
May	103⅛	102⅝	103	101⅞	102⅝
July	96½	96¼	96⅞	95½	96⅝
Corn—					
Dec.	92⅞	92⅞	93	91½	92⅞
May	90	89⅞	90⅝	89⅛	90⅝
July	87	86⅞	87⅝	86	87⅞
Oats—					
Dec.	55⅝	55⅛	55⅝	55	55½
May	53⅝	53⅝	53⅝	53	53½
July	47⅞	48⅝	48⅝	48⅛	48⅝
Rye—					
Dec.	80¼	80⅝	80⅝	79⅛	80¼
May	79⅛	80	80	78⅞	79⅛
July	77⅞	78¼	78½	77	78

Smelters to Pay Extra Dividend

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP). — Directors of Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Canada, Limited, today declared the regular dividend of four per cent, or $1 a share, for the six months ending December 31, 1934, and also declared an extra dividend of $1. The dividends will be payable December 31 to shareholders of record of December 15.

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1949	3½%	101.50	102.00
" "	1935	4%	101.125	102.125
" "	1936	5%	105.00	105.875
" "	1937	5%	106.50	107.50
" "	1937	5½%	109.75	110.75
" "	1939	2½%	98.75	99.75
" "	1939	4%	105.50	106.50
" "	1940	4½%	109.00	110.00
" "	1941	5%	111.50	112.50
" "	1942	3%	101.25	102.25
" "	1943	5%	112.625	113.50
" "	1944	4½%	109.50	110.50
" "	1945	4%	105.50	106.50
" "	1946	4½%	109.50	110.50
" "	1952	4%	104.75	105.75
" "	1956	4½%	109.50	110.50
" "	1957	4½%	109.75	110.75
" "	1958	4½%	110.00	110.75
" "	1959	4½%	110.00	110.75
C.N.R.	1951	4½%	111.25	112.75
"	1954	4½%	103.25	104.50
"	1956	4½%	111.75	113.25
"	1957	4½%	110.50	111.875
"	1968	4½%	105.00	106.00
"	1955	4¾%	114.50	116.00
"	1954	5%	114.75	116.25
"	1969	5%	116.50	118.00
"	1970	5%	115.75	116.75

All prices subject to 25c per $100 brokerage either way.

Silver Markets

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP).—Bar silver, quiet; 1-8 lower at 24 1-2d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—Bar silver, steady; unchanged at 54 3-4.

DECLARES DIVIDEND

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—The Singer Manufacturing Co. today declared the usual extra dividend of $2.50 and the regular quarterly dividend of $1.50 on the capital stock, both payable December 31 to stock of record December 10.

Metal Markets

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP).—Closing: Copper, standard, spot, £27 17s 6d; future, £28 5s. Electrolytic, spot, £31; future, £31 10s.

Tin, spot, £228 10s; future, £228 15s.

Lead, spot, £10 7s 6d; future, £10 12s 6d.

Zinc, spot, £11 15s; future, £12.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—Copper, quiet; electrolytic, spot and future, Blue Eagle, 9.00.

Tin, steadier; spot and nearby, 51.05; future, 51.10.

Iron, quiet; No. 2, f.o.b., Eastern Pennsylvania, 19.50; Buffalo, 18.50; Alabama, 14.50.

Lead, steady; spot, New York, 3.50; East St. Louis, 3.35.

Zinc, quiet; East St. Louis, spot and future, 3.70.

Aluminum, 19.00 to 22.00.
Antimony, spot, 14.00.
Quicksilver, 73.50 to 75.50.

RAILWAY REVENUES

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—Earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for the week ended December 7 were: 1934, $2,611,000; 1933, $2,412,000; increase, $199,000.

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—Gross revenues of the Canadian National Railways for the week ended December 7 were $3,002,948, as compared with $2,998,864 for the corresponding period of 1933, an increase of $4,084.

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DIVIDEND No. 26

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of thirty-seven cents (37c) per share on the Class A shares has been declared for the three months ending December 31, 1934, payable on January 15, 1935 (less 5% Dominion of Canada tax in the case of non-residents of Canada) to shareholders as of record at the close of business on December 31, 1934. Cheques will be mailed by the Montreal Trust Company, Montreal.

By order of the Board,
ERNEST ROGERS,
Secretary.
Vancouver, B.C., December 8, 1934.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP). — Prices held unchanged on the Montreal Produce and Dairy Market today.

Butter—Fresh No. 1, 21c; solids, 22c; prints, 23c.

Cheese—Ontario No. 1, 9 1-2c.

Eggs—Graded "A" large, 38c; "A" medium, 27c; "A" pullets, 25c "B," 19c; "C," 18c.

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Dominion Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	127⅞	128
Brazilian T.L. & P.	9⅞	10
B.A. Oil	14⅛	14⅜
B.C. Power "A"	27	27⅜
Canadian Pacific	11⅝	11⅞
Can. Mining & Smelting	136½	138½
Ford "A"	24⅞	25
Imperial Oil	16⅛	16⅜
Imperial Tobacco	12	12⅜
International Nickel	22⅞	23⅛
International Petroleum	30⅛	30⅜
Montreal Power Co.	30½	30⅞
Shawinigan W. & P.	15⅞	..
Bralorne	12.40	12.70
Dome	36.00	37.25
Lakeshore	51.05	52.15
Noranda	30.10	31.75
Pioneer Gold	11.20	11.50
Premier	1.40	..
Sheritt-Gordon	45	..
Sudbury Basin	1.20	1.23
Teck-Hughes	3.91	3.95
Ventures	88	90
Bank of Montreal	202.00	203.00
Royal Bank	166.00	168.00

Bond Quotations

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Quoted
PROVINCIAL	
Prov. of Alberta 4½%, 1951	98.50
Prov. of Alberta 6%, 1947	109.00
Prov. of B.C. 5%, 1953	101.25
Prov. of B.C. 5½%, 1945	104.25
Prov. of B.C. 6%, 1947	106.75
Prov. of Manitoba 5½%, 1955	107.00
Prov. of Manitoba 6%, 1947	109.00
Prov. of Ontario 4%, 1962	103.00
Prov. of Quebec 4½%, 1963	109.75
Prov. of Saskatchewan 5%, 1959	98.25
Prov. of Saskatchewan 5½%, 1952	103.00
Prov. of Saskatchewan 6%, 1952	106.50
MUNICIPAL	
City of Victoria 5½%, 1948	98.50
Point Grey 5%, 1953	96.50
City of Victoria 6%, 1947	102.50
City of Vancouver 5%, 1969	95.00
Vancouver Water District 4½%, 1967	99.00
District of Saanich 5%, 1951	102.75
City of Winnipeg 4½%, 1962	94.75

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Quoted
PUBLIC UTILITIES	
B.C. Power 5%, 1960	102.00
B.C. Telephone 5%, 1960	104.75
B.C. Electric 6% Pfd.	107.75
B.C. Telephone 6% Pfd.	102.00
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	100.00
C.P.R. 4½%, 1944	95.25
Canadian Northern Power 5%, 1953	98.00
Gatineau Power 5%, 1956	97.00
Western Power 5%, 1949	105.75
INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi Power & Paper 5%, 1953	34.50
B.A. Oil 5%, 1945	106.00
Burns & Co. 5½%, 1958	39.00
Canada Cement 5½%, 1947	101.00
General Steelwares 6%, 1952	90.00
Federal Grain 6%, 1949	91.00
McColl Frontenac 6%, 1949	105.25
Simpson's Ltd. 6%, 1949	101.50

Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 10 (CP).—Following are today's per-bushel wheat quotations, c.i.f. Liverpool, in Canadian funds, at current sterling exchange rate of $4.85, as supplied by Broomhall:

	Today	Sat'y.
No. 1 Man. Northern, Vancouver, Dec.	97	97
No. 2 Man. Northern, Atlantic, Dec.	94⅞	94⅞
No. 2 Man. Northern, Vancouver, Dec.	90½	90⅝
Argentine (Rosafe), Dec.	67⅞	67
Argentine (Barusso), Dec.	68⅛	67⅞
Australian (Afloat)	69	68⅞
West Australian, Dec.	71⅛	71⅛
French, Dec.	58⅞	59⅛

MONTREAL SILVER

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP). — In active trading as compared with recent dull Monday sessions, silver futures were firm on the Canadian Commodity Exchange today.

May was the active leader with twenty contracts. It opened at 55.20 and advanced to 55.30, the close being 55.30 bid against 55.55 bid Saturday. Three lots of March sold at 54.75, with the close at 54.70 bid, in comparison with 54.90 bid at the close of last week.

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	New York
Australia 5%, 1957	99.875
Austria 7%, 1943	102.00
Belgium 6%, 1955	100.50
Bogota 8%, 1945	18.50
Denmark 5½%, 1955	98.50
French 7½%, 1941	185.375
German Government 7%, 1949	38.75
Japan 6½%, 1954	93.00
Minas Geraes 6½%, 1959	21.00
Norway 6%, 1944	102.00
Queensland 6%, 1947	106.25
Rome 6½%, 1952	85.75
Sweden 5½%, 1954	100.50

New York Curb

(Jenks, Gwynne & Co.)

	Close
Amn. Gas & Elec. (bid)	18⅝
Amn. Cyanamid	16½
Cities Service	1½
Elec. Bond (bid)	8⅛
Ford	25¼
H. Walker	27
Gulf Oil	55⅛
Int. Pete.	30⅝
Imperial Oil	16½
Swift	17½
United Gas (bid)	1⅞

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—Vancouver wheat cash prices:

	Straight	Tough
No. 1 Hard	80⅝	78⅝
No. 1 Northern	80⅛	78⅛
No. 2 Northern	78⅞	70⅞
No. 3 Northern	70⅛	67⅞
No. 4 Northern	66⅞	63⅞
No. 5 Wheat	62⅞	60⅞
No. 6 Wheat	60⅛	57⅞
Feed	58⅛	55⅞

Track, 80⅝.

BAR GOLD AT LONDON

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—Bar gold in London down 2 cents at $34.07 an ounce in Canadian funds; 140s 4 1-2d in British funds. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $34.30 in Canadian funds.

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BANK OF MONTREAL IN A STRONG AND SOUND POSITION

Canada's Resources So Varied That When One Door of Opportunity Closes Another Always Opens

The 117th Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank of Montreal was held in the Board Room at the Bank's Headquarters.

Sir Charles Gordon gives interesting review of what chartered banks of Canada are doing for the depositors. Never before has problem of unemployment and direct relief loomed so large as it does today. Advisability of Governments to take advantage of present strong market to effect long term rather than short term borrowing. Government railway losses constitute biggest leak in finances and greatest deterrent to Canada's financial recovery.

W. A. Bog, joint general manager, reviews outstanding features of annual report. Recent evidence indicates that downward trend in commercial loans has halted, and that the trend may be gradually upward. Large increase in number of bank's shareholders residing outside of the country. Satisfactory stabilization of world's moneys not likely to be achieved upon any other basis than a gold standard.

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

Sir Charles Gordon, President, in addressing the shareholders, said in part:

Gentlemen,—

The general statement of the Bank for the past year, copies of which have been distributed to the meeting, will be presented to you in its details by the General Managers, and will, I hope, prove satisfactory. In the matter of profits you will observe that these are continuing in smaller figures than in times past. The demand from commercial borrowers for bank loans is still at a comparatively low level, due to the fact that these customers are in large measure able to finance the present volume of business from their own resources, with the result that a larger proportion of the Bank's assets than we might wish to see must perforce be invested in high-grade securities. This, while giving greater liquidity and greater strength to our position, must naturally be reflected in smaller profits. You will note, however, that we have been able to earn the reduced dividend which has prevailed for some time past, with a comfortable margin to be carried forward to profit and loss.

BANKING

The effect on the commercial banks of the banking legislation of the year will in the main be to lessen their earning power by the curtailment of their note circulation privileges and by the operation of interest-limitation features. Any move which would further curtail the earning power of our commercial banks would be highly unwise. That our banks should be maintained in a sound position, both in respect of the character of their assets and of their earning power, is a matter of supreme importance to the country and particularly, I may say, to every depositor. Depositors in our banks throughout the Dominion have a very direct interest in the maintenance of a sound banking structure, and it is to be expected that their influence will make itself felt to that end.

Now that we are upon the subject of banks and banking in Canada, I might touch upon a few points particularly which I should like to bring to the attention of our own stockholders and depositors and also of the whole Dominion. Such a mass of evidence has been produced with regard to banks during the past year that it is a question whether or not the public, or our own stockholders, have found time to read it, or, if they did read it, whether or not they concentrated on the most essential points. I should like, therefore, to present a few figures which can be understood and carried away.

1. The total of assets under administration by our chartered banks is nearly three billions of dollars.

2 In the banks of Canada there are some 4,700,000 depositors, our own bank having over a million.

3. Depositors received during last year some $37,000,000 in interest.

4. The interest which shareholders in the banks received was $12,000,000.

I think we may therefore consider that this vast body of depositors, which outnumber the people who voted at the last general election in Canada, are vitally interested in the strengthening of our banks and the maintenance of their earnings. They may be considered as the preferred shareholders of the banks, whilst those who have supplied the capital of the banks, and who receive their dividends only after the $37,000,000 to which I have referred have been paid, may be considered as the common shareholders.

In addition to this, it must be borne in mind that no shareholder of our chartered banks can receive one cent of his capital invested in shares until all the depositors have been paid in full.

Another matter which should be impressed upon the public is the nature of the services which the banks are performing. In a country as vast as this, with towns and villages in remote districts, the value of these services can hardly be estimated. Within reasonable distance of nearly every point in the West where a farmer brings his grain to a country elevator, he can get his cheque cashed, or make his deposit, in a chartered bank, and he knows that when he wants his money and comes back to get it he will not find the bank door closed.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY

The trade and industry of Canada, I am happy to say, present a brighter picture than has been the case for several years past. Most of the basic industries upon which our business structure rests have shown progressive betterment during the year, some indeed a remarkable improvement. The latter is true of the lumber industry, which, long in a moribund condition, has experienced a revival through the development of overseas markets. In volume of production the newsprint industry has shown a notable gain, to the advantage of labor and transportation, but an unsatisfactory price situation has prevented the earning of profits. A wide range of manufacturing industries has operated on more active schedules. Outstanding in the way of new development has been the rise of the mining industry, which is not only important in itself, but which has had a beneficial effect on numerous contributory industries. The wealth of hydro-electric power which has been made available has resulted in the establishment of a number of important new industries, and notably of large-scale chemical and metallurgical industries of a character entirely new to Canada. Hydro-electric power has proved of the greatest value to the mining business of the country, as many of the properties could not be operated successfully were it not for the fact that hydro-electric power is available at comparatively short distances and at a low price as compared with coal or oil. If those who are prone to criticize what is called the capitalistic system would look around in Canada, and observe what private initiative is accomplishing everywhere, they would in all fairness have to admit that it is doing its full part in laying anew the foundations of prosperity.

AGRICULTURE

The harvest in Canada was again spotty, but, as a whole, about equal to that of last year, with the advantage of somewhat higher prices. The wheat crop is estimated at 275,000,000 bushels, an increase of 5,500,000 bushels over 1933. There was crop failure again in Southern Saskatchewan, due to drought in a large area once the most fertile in the Western Provinces, and extensive relief measures will again be necessary for the farmers there. Production of coarse grains was also in excess of last year and root crops were fairly large. It is encouraging to know that our farmers are, as a whole, in better condition than a year ago, though it cannot be said that they reap adequate recompense for their toil. With regard to the handling of the wheat crop, it is hoped that the measures taken by the Dominion Government will turn out successfully. They have undoubtedly proved of benefit to our Western farmers.

CONDITION IN THE UNITED STATES

In the United States the efforts of the Government to stimulate business have continued during the past twelve months, the outstanding feature being the spending of public funds not only for relief purposes but also for the creation of public works and the development of natural resources. As a result there has been some upturn in business created by these artificial means, but there has not as yet been any steady or sustained recovery.

Sufficient time has elapsed to study the effects of the New Deal, and after sifting out the propaganda, one comes to the conclusion that the expensive economic experiments that have been undertaken in an effort to bring about a revival of trade have not materially improved conditions. The result to date has been to increase Government debt to unprecedented heights, regiment industry, restrict profits, devalue the currency and increase taxes.

The lowest semi-official estimate as to the number of those requiring relief within the United States is 17,000,000, and, unfortunately, the number is increasing in spite of the various schemes of the New Deal.

There are signs that the administration now realizes that large expenditures of public funds provide only temporary relief, and that the problem of unemployment can be solved permanently only by the encouragement of private business, stimulated by the prospect of making legitimate profits and unhampered by too much Government interference.

UNEMPLOYMENT SITUATION

Never before in the history of Canada or the United States has the problem of unemployment and direct relief loomed so large as it does today. In fact, it has become the greatest problem that we have had to face since the war. There were always some people who were unemployed, but in the United States and Canada this fact did not give the Governments very much concern and no legislation of an important character was passed to deal with the question. In Great Britain, this problem, as you know, has been dealt with in a most thorough manner. Some of us thought, when we first heard of old age pensions, unemployment insurance—misnamed the dole—and other measures, that Parliament was going too far in introducing social legislation of this nature. It has taken some twenty-five years and many Acts of Parliament to construct in Great Britain the organization which is now carrying on so effectively. It is not a haphazard way of dealing with the situation, but a highly organized department of government whose function it is to distribute to those who should have it the relief to which they are entitled.

Legislation to deal with this whole subject will have to be undertaken by the Governments of Canada and the United States; otherwise, the problem will get out of hand and it will be impossible to control the proper expenditure of the vast sums which are being voted for the purpose of unemployment relief.

EUROPE AND GREAT BRITAIN

In Europe the situation is still far from reassuring, and the past months have witnessed events which have not helped the recovery of peace and prosperity. The sanguinary happenings of June in Germany, the assassinations in Austria and France; the revolt in Spain; the tense situation in the Saar, and political changes in France, have all contributed to retard international understanding, a first step necessary toward general improvement in world conditions.

In Great Britain the situation presents a comforting contrast, as stability prevails and progress continues. The Mother Country's credit remains pre-eminent. Sound methods and cheap financing by the Government brought about a substantial budget surplus in the Spring, permitting some slight reduction and giving promise of further relief in the heavy tax burden borne by the British taxpayer. The ten months' total of all overseas trade at £974,000,000 increased some £82,000,000. For the first nine months of 1934 trade within the Empire at £342,000,000 increased £34,000,000. Imports from Canada increased 8.1 per cent and exports and re-exports to Canada increased 20.7 per cent. These are encouraging figures and are a measure of the leadership which Great Britain is giving in financial and economic rehabilitation.

EXTERNAL COMMERCE

The continued expansion in the external commerce of Canada which has gone on uninterruptedly for many months is especially gratifying. In the ten months ending October 31, this trade had an aggregate value of $957,000,000, compared with $747,000,000 in the corresponding period last year, and $798,000,000 in 1932. In both percentage and amount the increase this year has been substantial and significant. For each of the last eighteen months exports of Canadian products have exceeded those of the corresponding period of the preceding year, and for fifteen months imports have been rising, in which connection it may be noted that imports of free goods, the raw material of domestic manufactures, have kept pace with those of dutiable goods. The external commerce of nations is enlarging and in that enlargement Canada is having a due share. More notable in a survey of our external trade is the excess of exports over imports which, since March, 1930, has amounted to $397,000,000. The advantage of this large favorable balance has been manifested in many ways, not least in maintaining the price of the Canadian dollar in terms of foreign exchange, and in keeping high the credit of the Dominion. Another satisfactory aspect of our external commerce is the wider market found for Canadian products in Empire countries, our exports to Empire countries in the six months ending September having been $168,000,000, an increase of $46,000,000, or 37.6 per cent over the like period in 1933, while our exports to foreign countries rose but 4 per cent.

RAILWAYS

I have in addresses to the shareholders in previous years mentioned some of our national problems which are yet unsolved, and the incidence of which bears heavily upon the citizens of Canada. Naturally, I put the railway question first, because of its great importance and because of the serious effects of the enormous annual deficits of the National system. The income losses for the past ten years have totalled $593,000,000, an average of over $59,000,000 per annum. In the last three years the average loss has been over $95,000,000 per annum. It is only necessary to see these figures to realize the retarding influence they have on Canadian development and the serious burden imposed upon the taxpayers of Canada.

The co-operative measures between the companies, directed by the Statute of 1933, have, so far as the public is aware, fallen far short of giving any adequate relief, and unless in the very immediate future more beneficial results can be secured under the present system, it is clear that other and more drastic remedies must be applied.

Our Government railway losses constitute the biggest leak in our finances and the greatest deterrent to Canada's financial recovery. It is inconceivable that there should be undue delay in adopting effective remedial measures.

The figures I have given you are only part of the evidence that we must sooner or later—and the sooner the better—attack our railway problem on a scientific basis. We have to remember that today railways face extraordinary competition. Electricity, by carrying power to the sources of raw materials, has dispensed with much hauling of these materials to power plants, while canals, coastwise shipping, airplanes, automobiles and trucks now all compete with the railways. Railways competing with each other can never succeed in adopting a common policy to meet these other forms of competition. The task before us is to co-ordinate all forms of transportation, not by the throttling of competitive systems but by the elimination of useless competition by means of intelligent direction. A first step is the co-ordination of our railways. A second step is the regulation of all forms of transportation under a Federal Board of Transportation Commissioners vested with powers similar to those of the Board of Railway Commissioners, but on a wider and more comprehensive scale.

GOVERNMENT FINANCE

There are signs that in the conduct of Dominion, Provincial and Municipal affairs the need for imperative economy is now being recognized, and many important steps have been taken toward correcting the extravagances which developed in more prosperous times. Governmental expenditures, however, remain in high figures. We cannot continue indefinitely to pile up debts, but must address ourselves with stern determination to the task of balancing the budget in every form of government.

The task of balancing the Federal budget is rendered difficult by the cost of unemployment relief, by the war legacy in the shape of pensions, and, above all, by National Railways deficits; these three items alone involving an annual charge of not less than $150,000,000. Preliminary figures show the ordinary revenue of the Dominion Government in the seven months of the current fiscal year to October 31 last to have been $215,839,000, an increase of $26,705,000 over the corresponding period last year. There was an excess of revenue over ordinary expenditure of $19,000,000. Special expenditure, however, amounted to $30,363,000, mainly for unemployment relief, and loans and advances to $78,535,000, made up chiefly of loans to Canadian National Railways $54,319,000 and to Provincial Governments $23,862,000. The low cost of money has enabled governments to borrow and to refund at reduced interest and so to effect a saving, but this advantage is offset by mounting debt. Including the successful Dominion Conversion Loan in October, a saving of $14,000,000 annually has been made in interest charges in the last four years. On the other hand, interest on public debt in the first seven months of the current fiscal year was $5,288,000 greater than in the same period last year. Manifestly, the need for close economy in public expenditure persists.

In the matter of Government financing there is a point which does not appear to have been given the full attention it deserves, and that is the desirability of taking advantage of the present strong market for Government bonds by effecting long-term rather than short-term borrowing. The United Kingdom has taken a lead in these operations and has effected immense savings in annual interest charges through exercising the privilege of redeeming before maturity a number of issues which were floated during or prior to the war. These operations have illustrated forcibly the wisdom of important governmental borrowers reserving the right of redemption on long-term issues for a reasonable period, in keeping with the term of the loan itself. For some years this type of financing was unwisely discouraged in Canada and as a result we have many borrowers who would gladly take advantage of present favorable conditions to refund part of their outstanding issues if these issues could be called in before the maturity date.

THE OUTLOOK

Looking at conditions as a whole, it may be said that Canada has moved forward consistently on the road to recovery, and it is instructive to seek reasons why this progress has been more steady and pronounced than that of many other countries. Among the reasons I think we must count the fact that we have not been so ready as have some others to seek a panacea in the control of industry, or in economic experiments of one kind and another. In Great Britain, whose returning prosperity constitutes an inspiring object lesson, the people have made a united effort to promote business. In this single-minded objective extraneous reforms and experiments have been side-tracked. There has been no attack on private initiative. The low point of the depression occurred earlier in the United Kingdom than in Canada, and similarly, while recovery commenced in the United Kingdom during the Summer of 1932, it was delayed in the case of Canada until the second quarter of 1933. It is a reasonable deduction that the wisest course for us to follow is to give single-minded devotion to reviving business by the methods which experience has shown to be fundamentally sound and not to interfere with the improvement now under way by applying new and untried theories and enacting hampering legislation.

With respect to the outlook for the coming year, there are many reasons which justify the hope for a continuation of the betterment which we have witnessed during the past year. In the first place, I would say that events are emphasizing how great is the national asset we possess in the good sense and the homogenous character of our people. Then, as I have indicated, there is comforting statistical evidence that the clouds are lifting, and comforting evidence, too, that our resources are so large and so varied that when one door of opportunity closes another always opens. It has truly been said that Canada's salvation is that she is still a land with a frontier. Once wheat and forest products were the important treasures of our soil. To these are now added gold and the highly-important commercial metals with which this country is so lavishly endowed. I would be very much happier if I could say that marked improvement has also been shown in other countries, for the welfare of the individual is bound up in that of the whole. Canada is particularly susceptible to outside influence; we must not forget that as our position is largely that of an exporter, conditions in other countries must have a great bearing on conditions here. (Applause.)

THE GENERAL MANAGERS' ADDRESS

Mr. W. A. Bog, as joint General Manager, read the address of the joint general managers, which was in part as follows:

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen:

On behalf of Mr. Dodds and myself I have the honor to present to you the one hundred and seventeenth annual balance sheet of the Bank, from which you will see that the strong position of the Bank has been fully maintained.

Important changes in the balance sheet figures are as follows:

Our Total Assets amount to $759,100,000, compared with $768,500,000 a year ago.

Quick Assets, including cash, total $491,200,000, representing 71.97 per cent of all liabilities to the public; of these assets actual cash amounts to 12.77 per cent of such liabilities. Our large holdings of Quick Assets emphasize the difficulty of employing our money in commercial loans.

Investments, not exceeding market value, amount to $316,000,000, practically unchanged from last year.

Our investments in Dominion and Provincial Government securities included in the above amount to $284,900,000.

Current Loans in Canada amount to $230,800,000, a decrease of $5,300,000. Bank deposits now in existence could readily finance a volume of trade substantially greater than that of today. However, until the tendency towards restrictive legislation upon business operations is more clearly defined, and until the uncertainties in the field of international relations have been removed and the opportunity for profitable employment of borrowed money becomes more apparent, business will probably show some reluctance to expand. We never lose sight of the fact that lending money for commercial purposes is the backbone of our earning power; we are ready, and always have been to consider applications for loans which fall within the category of prudent banking risks. We have emphasized this feature in our advertisements in recent months in order to controvert a wide-spread misconception that there is a lack of banking credit. These advertisements did not announce a new policy, or even the revival of a policy; they simply restated a policy from which the Bank has at no time departed, namely, that of affording every reasonable accommodation to commercial borrowers. We might add in this connection that the total of credits authorized for our borrowing customers is very largely in excess of the amount which they have found that they can use to advantage.

In valuing our assets, ample provision has been made for all bad and doubtful debts and any depreciation of securities.

Profits are slightly lower than those of the previous year; after deducting Dominion and Provincial Government Taxes they amount to $3,204,000, as compared with $3,496,000 in 1933.

As a result of the lower interest rates prevailing and the difficulty of employing money profitably, banks and other institutions receiving deposits reduced the rate of interest. This action should indirectly assist governmental bodies in their efforts to establish budget equilibrium and should also contribute to business recovery, but in assisting these objects it would be a mistake to lower the rate on savings deposits to the point of discouraging thrift. It is equally important that the rate available on government bonds should be such as will attract the surplus funds of the investors of small and moderate means and thereby secure that wide distribution which is so desirable in public financing; we must remember that interest rates in a debtor country cannot fall as low as in a creditor country.

CONDITIONS IN CANADA

At our last Annual Meeting the statement was made that the year 1933 had not only exhibited a certain measure of recovery but had supplied grounds for hope that the recovery would continue in 1934. That hope has been justified, notwithstanding the tendency for consumption of certain goods to lag behind production, and also for employment, due to greater productive efficiency, to increase less rapidly than production.

Canadian business is vitally dependent upon external trade, and one of the major obstacles in the way of international trade is exchange instability. Canada has intimate trade and financial relationships with Great Britain and the United States and she is, therefore, particularly interested in sterling and the United States dollar being stabilized.

It does not appear probable that satisfactory stabilization of the world's moneys can be achieved upon any other basis than a gold standard.

The Ottawa Agreements gave to Canada a much needed market for her agricultural products. Our exports to Great Britain have been exceeding our imports from Great Britain by an increasing margin. With respect to the United States, although Canada's unfavorable balance on merchandise account was reduced from $311,000,000 in 1929-30 to $44,000,000 in 1933-34, this trend is now in process of being reversed, and the unfavorable balance with the United States is rising rapidly as compared with last year. The discount on the American dollar and the high tariff against our agricultural products impede the free flow of goods across the frontier, to our disadvantage.

BANKING LEGISLATION

The Act incorporating the Bank of Canada will operate gradually to reduce the long-established privilege enjoyed by the chartered banks to issue notes. That function is to be undertaken more and more as time goes on by the new Bank. Meantime, the partial withdrawal of the circulation privilege will curtail the services as well as the earning power of the chartered banks. The banks have assisted immeasurably in the development of Canada, particularly by opening branches in nearly every hamlet in the country. As long as we could issue our own notes there was no unproductive tie-up of resources in till money at any of our branches. Bank notes up to the amount of the Bank's capital require no cover; above that amount they are fully covered by gold or legals, except that during the crop moving period some leeway is permitted. They are secured by a first lien on assets relatively huge.

Canadian bank notes are issued only as business activity requires and when the immediate need is filled the notes flow back to the banks and are redeemed. This has prevented any inflation of the currency insofar as it is represented by bank note circulation. Business may at times be inflated and this in itself may create an abnormal demand for currency, but this is essentially different from the emission of notes not required by trade. The automatic feature of the Canadian bank note has been the subject of unstinted praise by banking authorities in the Republic to the South.

Under the amended Bank Act a further restriction has been imposed limiting the maximum interest rate that may be charged. In the past banks were able to charge interest at a reasonable rate commensurate with operating costs. In the districts where these costs are high the aggregate effect of the limitation now in force may mean the difference between a profitable and an unprofitable branch.

Profits will be lowered and operating losses increased through the restrictions mentioned above and the only business-like alternative the banks have is to close unprofitable offices.

One of Canada's greatest assets is a thrifty people who have been encouraged by a sound banking system which provided a convenient and sure refuge for their money. It is a mistake to discourage the one and weaken the other.

In an economic sense, the most important individuals in society are the small capitalists. It is they who supply the motive power of business and do the work of the world. It is the savings of these, the great army of the nation's workers, that we, as bankers, must safeguard. The average deposit is relatively small; depositors tend to invest when their deposit balances accumulate. Yet for a great host, money in the bank represents the sole bulwark against misfortune. Borrowers as a class are property owners; as a rule, fairly well-to-do; not seldom wealthy. But the average depositor is relatively a poor man; our first duty is to protect him.

It is well to bear in mind that had our banks operated under the unit system as in the United States there would have been many failures in distressed districts. In contrast to what happened in that country, the depositors' funds in Canadian banks were always available—no one was kept waiting for his money. The ultimate loss to depositors in closed banks in the United States will be not less than $2,000,000,000. Such a loss if applied to Canada, on a basis of relative population, would amount to $160,000,000.

CONDITIONS ABROAD

Industry in Great Britain has shown an increase in activity. Retail sales are 3.3 per cent greater than a year ago, and reduction in unemployment proceeds, steadily, the number of unemployed having decreased by over 179,000. Money has continued very plentiful throughout the year, with present rates of interest near record lows. Large sums of British and foreign money seeking employment have created an extraordinary rise in stock exchange securities, helped of late by the announcement of large repayments of treasury bonds. British funds are now at prices which have not been seen for many years and are on approximately a 3 per cent basis. The London market is not yet free from restrictions as regards the flotation of outside capital issues, but certain exceptions continue to be made, particularly in favor of Empire requirements.

General conditions in France cannot be said to have improved during the past year, that country having experienced serious political and financial troubles. There has been retrenchment in Government expenditure and successful conversion and sinking fund operations, but collection of taxes has not been up to expectations and the 1935 budget estimate figures reveal a deficit of Fcs. 588,000,000. Foreign trade is at a low ebb, the adverse balance of trade for the nine months ending 30th September last being Fcs. 4,594,000,000. High tariffs and quotas restrict importation of raw materials, with consequent reduction in industrial activity.

UNITED STATES

In the United States, following the general closing of the banks in March, 1933, some of them permanently, and the strengthening of the capital structure of a number of institutions with funds supplied by Government agencies, improvement has taken place in the banking situation, and bank reserves in the hands of the Federal Reserve Banks have reached unprecedented figures. In the absence of demand for commercial loans and with no new industrial investment issues of importance being underwritten since the enactment of the Securities Act, with its severe penalties, the banks during the past twelve months have added materially to their holdings of Government bonds.

The national debt of the United States Government is increasing rapidly and it would seem that sense of balance has been lost. In the short time of two years the gross public debt has increased about $6,000,000,000, if one excludes the so-called gold profit of $2,800,000,000. Banks have been the Government's main support for capital, as about 25 per cent of their resources is now invested in Government securities as against 6 per cent in 1929. A sounder policy would be to interest the public in financing the New Deal, as it is disturbing to think that during the next five years short-term debt aggregating about $14,000,000,000 becomes due.

CONCLUSION

In Canada the depression did not reach the low levels experienced in many other countries, although one might have expected that a debtor country would feel a depression more keenly than a creditor country.

The intrinsic wealth of the country was undoubtedly a protective factor; the stability of the people another. A third was to be found in the banking system. In this connection as evidence of the confidence in our Bank held abroad the number of shareholders of the Bank residing outside of Canada has increased during the past year by over three hundred; since 1929 by more than eight hundred. This confidence is justified as I can assure our shareholders and depositors that the Bank is in a strong and sound position.

The Chairman then moved, seconded by Mr. H. R. Drummond, that the Report of the Directors, now read, be adopted and printed for distribution among the Shareholders.

The report was unanimously adopted.

THANKS TO THE OFFICERS

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, K.C., then moved, seconded by Mr. W. B. Blackader, that the thanks of the meeting are hereby tendered to the President, the Vice-Presidnts, and Directors for their attention to the interests of the Bank.

Major-General the Hon. S. C. Mewburn, C.M.G., moved, seconded by Mr. Ross H. McMaster, "That the thanks of the Meeting are hereby tendered to the General Managers, the Assistant General Managers, the Superintendents, the Managers and other officers of the Bank, for their services during the past year."

The ballot for the appointment of Auditors and the election of Directors for the ensuing year was then proceeded with.

The scrutineers appointed for the purpose reported that Messrs. Charles A. Hodgson, C.A., and W. D. Glendinning, C.A., were duly appointed Auditors, and the following gentlemen elected Directors: The Honorable Thomas Ahearn, P.C., D. Forbes Angus, E. W. Beatty, K.C., W. A. Black, W. A. Bog, the Honorable Patrick Burns, the Honorable Henry Cockshutt, Norman J. Dawes, A. O. Dawson, H. R. Drummond, W. Sanford Evans, Sir Charles Gordon, G.B.E., J. W. McConnell, Ross H. McMaster, F. E. Meredith, K.C., Major-General the Honorable S. C. Mewburn, C.M.G., Lieut.-Col. Herbert Molson, C.M.G., M.C., A. B. Purvis, C. F. Sise, W. N. Tilley, K.C., Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor.

At a subsequent meeting of the Directors, Sir Charles Gordon, G.B.E., was elected President, and Mr. H. R. Drummond and Major-General the Honorable S. C. Mewburn, C.M.G., were elected Vice-Presidents.

The Executive Committee of the Board was appointed, consisting of Sir Charles Gordon, G.B.E., Mr. H. R. Drummond, Major-General the Honorable S. C. Mewburn, C.M.G., and Mr. E. W. Beatty, K.C.

ORE RECEIPTS AT TRAIL SMELTER

NELSON, Dec. 10 (CP).—Heavy shipments by the company mines to the smelter at Trail for the period December 1 to 7, kept the ore receipts high and, with the custom contributions, raised the grand total for the year to 509,592, or roughly 160,000 tons more than the 1933 total. Company ore amounted to 12,559 for the past seven-day period, and custom shipments reached 701 tons; the Whitewater, of Retallack, accounting for 150 tons of concentrates and sixty tons of crude ore. The Whitewater was the only custom shipper to send concentrates and led the list of shippers with 210 tons. The Wellington, Jackson and Dublin Queen, appearing on the list for the first time in a long while, were all of Retallack. Receipts were as follows:

Ore — Bell, Beaverdell, 49; Black Colt, New Denver, 42; Clubine, Comstock, Doulder Siding, 34; Dublin Queen, Retallack, 26; Great Eastern, Nelson, 6; Jackson, Retallack, 20; Lone Pine, Republic, Wash. 53; Morning Star, Oliver, 166; No. 7, Boundary Falls, 38; Sally, Beaverdell, 50; Skylark and Ranger, Slocan, 3; Wellington, Retallack, 4; Whitewater, Retallack, 60.

Concentrates—Whitewater, Retallack, 150.

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP). — British and foreign exchange in relation to the Canadian dollar, as compiled by the Royal Bank of Canada, closed today as follows:

Argentina, peso, .2432; Australia, pound 3.8625; Austria, schilling, .1859; Belgium, belga, .2288; Bulgaria, lev, .0122; China, Hongkong dollar, .3177; Czechoslovakia, crown, .0409; Denmark, krone, .2166; Finland, finmark, .0216; France, franc, .0645; Germany, reichsmark, .3937.

Great Britain, pound, 4.8552; Holland, florin .6622; Hungary, pengo, .2914; India, rupee, .3673; Italy, lire .0836; Japan, yen, .2840.

New Zealand, pound, 3.8779; Norway, krone, .2440; Poland, zloti, .1864; South Africa, pound, 4.8454; Spain, peseta, .1338; Sweden, krona, .2505; Switzerland, franc, .3170; United States, dollar, 2 1-16 per cent discount.

CANADIAN DOLLAR AND POUND RATES

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—The pound sterling advanced on Montreal foreign exchanges today. The pound gained 3-8 of a cent at $4.85 1-2. The American dollar was down 1-8 of one per cent at 2 1-16 per cent discount, and the franc was down .01 of a cent at 6.45 cents.

Editor: "We have been waiting two hours for the report of that interview."

Reporter: "The fellow stuttered."
—Moustique, Charleroi.

SILVER SLIPPERS By Temple Bailey

CHAPTER LVI

Joan made her way down to the pier. "Can you tell me," she asked the man, "whether Mr. Armiger is on his island? His shop is closed."

The man took his pipe from his mouth. "Yes, he's there. I saw him in his boat this morning . . ."

"Could you—take me over—?"

"I could . . ." he glanced at the sky, "but you might have trouble getting back—there's wind in that sky, and snow . . ."

Joan was reckless, "I'll risk it."

"Just as you say."

She got into the boat and he started the motor. The boat took the crescent curve through the harbor and came out presently into the open sea. The red-faced seaman, as he drove it through the waves, glanced now and then at his passenger. He thought she was like a picture in all that silver fur, with the violet hat like a helmet framing her lovely face.

The house on the island was so still that it seemed as if it held its breath—waiting. The logs in the living-room had burned down to deep-glowing coals. Between the amber curtains of the wide west window, the sky showed a band of orange between grey sky and sea.

Giles, at his desk, saw neither sky nor sea nor sunset. He was absorbed in his task. He was writing a history of the great romances of the ages. It was to illumine for Joan the library he was planning. His interest in it was intense. He felt that his absorption in it would help to bridge the silence of the months ahead.

As the sky darkened, he laid down his pen to light a lamp, then leaned back in his chair to relax and rest. He was aware of the silence. Not a sound anywhere. Just that breathless, almost sinister stillness.

It was a relief when out of the west came a booming blast. The wind was rising, and the waves thundered against the rocks. Giles rose to put another log on the fire. He loved this fire of his as if it were a living thing. It was his comrade now that he had no other. Without it the room seemed robbed of something companionable and comforting. As the log settled into place and the coals caught at it, the flutter of the flames was like little voices speaking. Giles stood looking down at it, a lonely man, seeking to find in this inanimate thing some surcease for his solitude. Yet, after all, what was a fire to warm a man's heart?

He looked very young as he stood there—with his slender figure, his ruffled hair, his hands in the pockets of his short velvet coat—too young for this cloistered existence. Yet he wanted now no other. With Joan he would go forth to high adventure. But not without her.

The house shook with the assaults the wind made upon it. Margarida in her kitchen left her corner by the huge hot stove and went to the window to look. What she saw outside caused her to turn and speak excitedly to her husband. "There's Timothy Tucker's boat and a woman in it."

Jose, who had shared her corner, came out of it, reluctantly, to peer over her shoulder. Then, with a quick word or two to his wife, he snatched up his cap and leather coat and ran down to the pier.

Timothy was making the landing with difficulty. "I told you we'd have nasty weather," he informed his passenger, "now you're here, you'll have to stay."

Joan had a sudden frightened sense of the consequences of her foolhardiness. She had had no fear of the wind and raging waters, but now that she had reached the island, she wanted to turn back. Oh, what would Giles think of her? What did this dark-skinned foreigner think of her as he steadied the boat with one hand and reached out the other to draw her up strongly to the surf-washed planks where he stood?

She waited while the two men talked. "I've got to get right back," Timothy was saying, "we were a long time coming and there are a lot of workmen I'll have to ferry over. She'd better stay till the wind dies down. Can you look after her?"

Jose nodded, "Sure."

Timothy turned and drove his boat through the tumbling waters. He had been well paid by his passenger. She was a pretty thing. He wondered who she was and why she had been willing to take that wild ride.

Jose led the way to the house, and Margarida met them at the door. "You are wet," she cried, and ran her hand over Joan's fur coat. "Let me hang it by the stove. And your hat . . . it is ruined . . ."

Joan took off the violet cap and shook the water from it. "It will be all right when it dries."

"And your feet? Are they soaked?"

"No. My maid made me wear galoshes."

Margarida knelt and unfastened the heavy overshoes. "Mr. Armiger is in the living-room," she said, "you go in and get warm, and presently I will bring some tea."

So Joan, unannounced, her steps noiseless on the thick rug, entered the living-room and saw Giles standing by the fire. He turned with a start of surprise as she said, "It's Joan Dudley."

He came towards her with illumined face. She was aware of the beating of her heart. He lifted both of her hands and kissed them, and seeing the look in her eyes, drew her to him.

For a long time neither of them spoke. Then Giles said: "Forgive me," and released her.

"There's nothing to . . . forgive . . ."

He did not meet her glance. He placed a chair for her by the fire. "Sir here," he said, "you must be frozen."

"I am not cold. I wore my fur coat. Your maid took it." She hardly knew what she was saying. She had gone to him like a bird to its mate, and now . . . he was putting her from him. Oh, very definitely putting her from him as he said, formally, "I will have Margarida bring tea."

"She told me she would bring it." A pause . . . then Joan looked up at him as he stood on the hearth-rug, "I had to come," her voice shook, "you did not answer my letter."

"No."

"But—you got it?"

"Yes."

Her eyes were shadowed, "Why—didn't you answer?"

"My dear . . . there were reasons . . ."

She was very white. "Oh, I am sorry I came . . .

"No," he crossed the rug and stood beside her chair laying his hand on hers, "it was a beautiful thing for you to do, beautiful . . . Joan, I am going to ask you to believe in me . . . even when the things I do seem to you strange . . ."

Her hand trembled under his: "I couldn't have come," she said, "if it had not been for the letter you sent me in Spain. I have read it over and over. It said things to me I have been waiting all my life to hear. Things Drew never said—not in all his love-making—things about a quiet heart, and home, and serene happiness. You meant it all then, Giles? Do you still mean it?" She tried to say it calmly, but her strength was not enough. Her tears overflowed.

"My dear—I shall mean it until the end of time."

"Then—why . . .?"

"I can't tell you."

He left her and went to the window, looking out at the storm. Joan sat very still by the fire. She had a sense of forces at work which she did not understand. Giles loved her. But he had no word for their future.

Out of the silence, she said, "I am going abroad."

"I know. I saw it in the paper."

Another long silence, which was broken by Margarida's entrance with the tray. She found Joan by the fire and Giles by the window. It was not what she expected. She had her own romantic sense of what the situation demanded. She set her tray on a low table in front of Joan. There was hot toast and a rich dark cake. Giles, surveying what was set forth, demanded, "Where did you have your lunch, Joan?"

She confessed, "I didn't have any."

"You'd better make some sandwiches, Margarida."

Joan begged, "please don't. I'm not hungry."

"Then we'll have an early dinner."

"I can't stay to dinner."

"I am afraid you will have to stay. The storm is increasing."

She waited for Margarida to go before she answered him, "I can't stay, Giles. It was silly of me to come."

"Don't say that again. And there is no reason why you should not let me put you up for the night. Margarida will look after you."

"But I left Farley at the hotel in Boston."

"We can telephone."

She was troubled: "I don't think I should . . ."

"It won't be safe to try to make the mainland with this wind. But why begin to worry now? It may clear before we know it. And now, will you pour my tea . . . two lumps and lemon . . ."

He set himself after that to cheer her. He made her eat, too, a slice of toast and one of the dark rich cakes, "It has almonds in it and spice—Margarida will be miserable if you don't praise it."

He talked then of books. He told her what he was doing—writing of the great romances of all the ages. "I am writing it for you." Yet he did not tell her of his dream that some day they might adventure together, going into strange places to find the old volumnes for her shelves.

Night was coming on, and Margarida entered to ask about dinner: "You may set the table for two," Giles said.

(To Be Continued)

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 10. — The Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation has declared dividend No. 189 for 1 1-2 per cent for the fourth quarter of 1934. This is payable at the corporation's main branch in London, Ontario, on and after January 2, 1935, to shareholders of record on December 15, 1934.

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 10. — The Canada Trust Company has declared a dividend of 5 per cent for the half-year ended December 31, 1934. This is payable at the company's main branch in London, Ontario, on and after January 2, 1935, to shareholders of record on December 15, 1934.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By Alley

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MARINE, RAIL and AIR

Liners Inbound From Orient Side Docking Early This Morning

Two Ships Have Passengers, Mails and Cargo for Victoria—Portland Away—Agents for Orient Steamship Line Appointed

Advices from the master of the American Mail Line Ss. President McKinley, received at the local office of the company yesterday afternoon by W. M. Allan, contained the information that the ship would reach William Head at an early hour this morning, and would be ready alongside Rithet Piers to land passengers, mails and cargo at 7 o'clock. The McKinley will remain here until 10 o'clock, when she will proceed to Seattle.

Inbound from China and Japan ports, the Blue Funnel Line Ss. Talthybius is due alongside Rithet Piers sometime this morning. The Talthybius has 5,000 bundles of Japanese oranges mails and twelve passengers for Victoria. The liner will proceed to Mainland ports after completing discharge here.

Completing loading lumber cargo here, the Hamburg-American combined freight and passenger liner Portland left Ogden Point Piers yesterday afternoon for Seattle. The other freighters, the Cipro and the Astoria, are leaving today, according to King Brothers, local shipping agents, who are looking after the interests of the ships here.

APPOINTED AGENTS

Robert Creelman, passenger traffic manager, Canadian National Railways, Winnipeg, announced here yesterday that the railway company would represent the Orient Steamship Company in Canada. The line operates extensive services, the vessels comprising the Orma, Oronsay, Otranto, Orford and Orontes, all of 20,000 tons, carrying first and third-class passengers; and the Ormonde and the Orsova, of 15,000 tons, carrying tourist-class passengers only.

Tentative offers are reported to have been made by private interests for the remaining eleven vessels of the Canadian Merchants Marine. It is estimated that the original cost of these vessels was $1,750,000. Twelve other vessels of the fleet were sold in 1933 at prices ranging from 66 cents to $4.20 per deadweight ton, bringing a total of $185,927.54. The operating deficit of the fleet in 1933 was $17,938.03, but in 1932 it had been $326,613.14.

The editor of The P.L.A. Monthly, London, writes in the November number of that journal regarding the sights seen in the vicinity of the new Silvertown Way.

VARIETY OF TITLES

"On the other side of the road, was a building bearing the astonishing title, 'Atlantis Garage' a name which seemed about as appropriate as 'Ye Olde Englishe Television Shop.' Almost adjacent to this, from the walls of the Lighhouse Mission and Sunday School, a minatory text stared across at the passer-by. Next, the 'Windsor Castle' tavern faced the now closed 'Walmer Castle' tavern, apparently transformed into a ship chandler's store, and nearby a beer-house bearing the gentle title of 'The Dove's Nest.' A little distance onward and another pair of public houses showed a variety of title, 'The Rose of Denmark' and the 'Lord Napier'—one might moralize on the plethora of possibilities for the slaking of thirst and on the strangeness of the choice of names."

Longest Airline Links Australia With Motherland

BRISBANE, Australia, Dec. 10 (CP).—Service on the world's longest airline, the 12,846 miles from Brisbane to London, was inaugurated today when the Duke of Gloucester, with a wave of his hand, dispatched the first two northbound planes. By the service, Australia becomes the last continent to be reached by the international air lines. It brings Australia within twelve days of London.

Captain of French Vessel

Captain Rene Pugnet (right), skipper of the new Normandie, stands on the deck of the ship and goes over the ship's plans with chief purser Henri Villar (left). The liner is almost entirely complete at St. Nazaire. Pugnet is the former commander of the Paris. He has been at St. Nazaire for more than a year, supervising and getting acquainted with the vessel. She will enter into trans-Atlantic service in May.

RETIRING AT END OF TRIP

Captain of Liner in Canadian Service Completing Last Voyage

The departure of the Letitia from Quebec, last week, closed the career as far as Canada is concerned of Captain David Taylor, O.B.E., who has commanded steamers in the Canadian trade ever since 1897, as Captain Taylor is retiring at the close of the present voyage after many years' service with the Donaldson and Anchor-Donaldson Lines.

Captain Taylor first went to sea in the '80's, securing a berth in a sailing ship engaged on the coastal trade of Great Britain. At the time this ship was nearly 100 years old, and so Captain Taylor is probably one of the few men of today who have seen service in the regular trading of a ship built long before the Battle of Trafalgar.

It was in 1893 that Captain Taylor first came to Montreal as an officer on one of the cargo boats of the Donaldson Line and in 1895 he secured command of one of Donaldson Brothers' steamers engaged on the Glasgow-Baltimore run.

CARRIED TROOPS

In 1897 Captain Taylor returned once more to the St. Lawrence trade, but this time in command of the Amarynthia, for many years well-known to Scottish and Canadian shippers. Until the war Captain Taylor continued in the Canadian trade, latterly in command of the Donaldson passenger ship Saturnia, and it was suddenly on the outbreak of war that this ship was commandeered by the British Government the very hour that she had taken her passengers on board at Glasgow and was ready to sail for Canada, when she was hastily converted into a troop ship, and taking her down to Southampton Captain Taylor brought his first troops on board and landed them at Havre within ten days of the outbreak of war.

Coming out of the war unscathed and with the record of never having had his ship damaged, though for a large part of the time continually in the areas affected by enemy action, Captain Taylor resumed his service on the regular Canadian trade, and as the Donaldson Line passenger service had now been taken over by the Anchor-Donaldson Line, he took command of the new ships as they came into operation, first the Athenia and then the Letitia.

Throughout all his twenty-nine years of being the traditional "old man" of a British merchantman, Captain Taylor has never lost his fresh outlook on life, and to his many friends here it has seemed that the twinkle in his eye has grown more jolly with every passing year.

Balance of Tourist Travel Now Favors United States' Side

Total of Canadian Motor Cars and Tourists Leaving British Columbia During 1934 Far Greater Than U.S. Arrivals

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—A total of 58,088 United States cars, carrying 199,703 passengers, entered British Columbia at Fraser Valley immigration ports during the first ten months of 1934, an increase of 391 cars and 5,813 passengers over the same period in 1933, C. H. Webster, Vancouver publicity commissioner, reported today.

"Transportation companies report a far greater travel business during 1934 than this community enjoyed last year," Mr. Webster said. "Travel to the Coast over provincial highways also indicates a larger traffic of this kind than in 1933, and there was a marked increase in train travel from prairie points.

"A remarkable report is the Canadian travel during the same period. It shows a greater amount, for the first time in probably ten years. During the period stated, the records point out that 140,451 Canadian automobiles passed out of British Columbia, carrying 463,488 passengers.

"It is quite evident that a more aggressive tourist advertising campaign is essential if British Columbia is to hold its own in the matter of trade balance in tourist travel. It would appear that a greater amount of Canadian money has gone out of British Columbia to the States during the past year than has come in."

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—Ss. Talthybius, of the Blue Funnel Line, is due here, tomorrow, with a shipment of about 60,000 boxes of Japanese oranges for the Western Canada Christmas trade.

Dodwell & Company reported Ms. Tantalus sailed today for Japan with mails, passengers, express, general and refrigerator cargo.

Dingwall Cotts & Co. reported Ss. Mana due at New Westminster, December 15, to load sulphate of ammonia for the sugar plantations of Hawaiian Islands. The British Ms. Silverash will arrive December 14 to load for South Africa and, on December 20, Ss. Golden Cloud will be in to take cargo for Australia.

A cargo of 8,000 tons of South African corn was due overnight to Buckerfield's, Ltd., on Ms. Ravenas, the shipment being made possible through the British Empire preferential treaty arrangements. The ship is under charter to Canadian Transport Co., Ltd., and will load outward on the Vancouver-British West Indies run, sailing December 22.

Lalita-Vistara is the name of one of the most celebrated works of Buddhistic literature.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Weather Report

ESTEVAN — Cloudy; light, southeast; 30.06; 48; moderate swell.
PACHENA—Overcast; fresh, southeast; 30.07; 46; moderate swell.
CARMANAH — Overcast; light, east; 30.00; moderate swell.
CAPE BEALE — Cloudy; calm; 30.15; moderate swell.

Wireless Report

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated)
LYCIA — Vancouver for San Pedro, eighty miles from Cape Flattery.
YONEYAMA MARU—Bound Port Townsend, 250 miles from Estevan.
ALBERTOLITE—Bound Vancouver, fifty-two miles from Port Ellis.
KINGSLEY—Blubber Bay for San Francisco, 452 miles from San Francisco.
DEEBANK — Alberni for Shanghai, 205 miles southwest of Estevan.

West Coast Mails

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st, 11th and 21st of each month for Ahousat Bamfield, Ceepeecee, Clayoquot, Cloose, Ecoole, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kildonan, Kyuquot, Nootka, Port Alberni, Port Renfrew, Queen's Cove, Tofino, Uchulet. Due 1:15 p.m., 8th, 18th and 28th of each month ex. Ecoole.

Mails close 10 p.m. 21st each month, and 9 a.m., 22nd of each month, for Centre Island. Due 1:15 p.m., 28th of each month.

Mails close 9 a.m., 2nd, 12th and 22nd of each month, except Sundays, for Clayoquot, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kyuquot and Tofino.

Mails close 9 a.m., 6th, 16th and 26th of each month, except Sundays, for Cloose and Port Renfrew.

Mails close 9 a.m., Thursday and Saturday for Bamfield, Ecoole, Kildonan, San Mateo, Sechart and Uchulet. Due 5 p.m., Tuesday and Saturday.

Mails close 11:15 p.m., Monday, and 1:30 p.m., Fridays, for Holberg, Port Alice and Quatsino. Due 7 a.m., Tuesday and Friday.

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st of each month, and at 9 a.m., 2nd of each month, for Cachalot. Due 1:15 p.m. on the 8th.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close 4 p.m., December 1. Due at Yokohama, December 13; Shanghai, December 17; Honkong, December 20.
*HIYE MARU (via Vancouver)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 4. Due at Yokohama, December 18.
PRESIDENT JACKSON—Mails close 4 p.m., December 8. Due at Yokohama, December 21; Shanghai, December 25; Hongkong, December 28.
†EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Mails close 4 p.m., December 15. Due at Yokohama, December 29; Shanghai, January 1; Hongkong, January 4.
PRESIDENT McKINLEY—Mails close 4 p.m., December 22. Due at Yokohama, January 4; Shanghai, January 8; Hongkong, January 11.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close 4 p.m., December 29. Due at Yokohama, January 10; Shanghai, January 14; Hongkong, January 17.
*Mail for Japan only.
†Carries mail for Honolulu.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

NIAGARA—Mails close 4 p.m., December 5. Due at Auckland, December 24; Sydney, December 29.
MARIPOSA (via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 9. Due at Auckland, December 29; Sydney, January 1.
MAUNGANUI (via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 16. Due at Wellington, January 7; Sydney, January 12.
AORANGI—Mails close 4 p.m., January 2. Due at Auckland, January 21; Sydney, January 26.

Northern Points

PRINCE RUPERT AND POINTS WEST OF ROSE LAKE

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Friday and via C.P.R. Skagway steamers, 1:30 p.m.; Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m., via Kamloops and Jasper.
Mails due Monday, 3:15 p.m.; Tuesday and Friday, 7:15 a.m.

POINTS ON C.N.R. WEST OF RED PASS

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, Thursday, Saturday, 3:15 p.m.

ANYOX, PREMIER AND STEWART

Mails close Monday, Friday, 1:30 p.m.
Mails due Sunday and Friday, 7:15 a.m.

SWANSON BAY

Mails close Tuesday, 1:30 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 3:15 p.m.

OCEAN FALLS

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, 1:30 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, Tuesday, 7:15 a.m.

Coasting Craft

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 2:15 p.m. daily; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver daily at 3:30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria at 12 midnight daily; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 4:30 p.m. daily for Seattle; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive Victoria at 1:30 daily from Seattle. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria at 8:35 a.m. daily from Seattle.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily, except Sunday, at 7 a.m. and 2:15 p.m.; Saturday only at 9:15 p.m.; Sunday only at 5:45 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive from Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 12:30 p.m. and 8:15 p.m.; Sunday only, 11:15 p.m.

VICTORIA-WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for West Coast of Vancouver Island ports on the first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

VANCOUVER-ALASKA — Ss. Princess Louise will leave for Northern British Columbia and Alaska ports, October 10, at 9 p.m.; Ss. Princess Norah will leave Vancouver, October 19 and 27, November 9 and 23, at 9 p.m.

VANCOUVER-NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA—Ss. Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver every Wednesday at 8 p.m. for Prince Rupert and way ports; Ss. Prince George leaves Vancouver every Monday night for Stewart and way ports; Ss. Catala leaves Vancouver every Friday at 9 p.m. for Stewart; Ss. Cardena leaves Vancouver every Tuesday at 8 p.m. for Prince Rupert.

VANCOUVER - QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS—Ss. Prince Charles will leave Vancouver at 4 p.m. every second Saturday.

SWARTZ BAY-FULFORD HARBOR—Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay week days, except Wednesdays, at 2:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor week days, except Wednesdays, at 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay, Sundays only, at 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor, Sundays only, at 8 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

VICTORIA - GULF ISLANDS — Princess Mary leaves Victoria every Tuesday for James Island, Piers Island, Port Washington, Ganges Harbor, Mayne Island, Galiano Island and Vancouver at 10:30 a.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Black Ball Line ferry will leave Sidney daily at 1:30 p.m.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE

CORRIENTES — United Kingdom, December 9.
TALTHYBIUS—China and Japan, December 10.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver)—Japan ports, December 11.
PRESIDENT McKINLEY — Philippines, China and Japan, December 11.
NEBRASKA—Holland and United Kingdom, December 13.
EMMA ALEXANDER — California, December 13.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—Philippines, China and Japan, December 17.
PACIFIC PRESIDENT—United Kingdom, December 18.
RUTH ALEXANDER — California, December 20.
PRESIDENT GRANT — Philippines, China and Japan, December 25.
HIKAWA MARU (Vancouver) — Japan ports, December 26.
LOCHGOIL—Holland and United Kingdom, December 27.
EMMA ALEXANDER — California, December 27.
AORANGI—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, December 27.
PACIFIC GROVE—United Kingdom, December 29.

TO DEPART

EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Hawaii, Japan, China and Philippines, December 15.
EMMA ALEXANDER — California, December 15.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver) — Japan ports, December 22.
PRESIDENT McKINLEY—Japan, China and Philippines, December 22.
RUTH ALEXANDER — California, December 22.
EMMA ALEXANDER — California, December 29.

Gulf Island Mail

GANGES, GALIANO, MAYNE, PENDER ISLAND, FORT WASHINGTON, SALTSPRING ISLAND

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

BEAVER POINT, FULFORD HARBOR

Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

SATURNA

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 15 a.m.

SOUTH PENDER

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.

MUSGRAVE

Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Friday 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, 7:15 a.m.

NORTH GALIANO

Mails close Sunday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.

British Mails

SS. BREMEN (via New York) — Mails close 4 p.m., December 10.
SS. ALBERT BALLIN (via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., December 14.
SS. MONTROSE—Mails close 1:30 p.m., December 15.
SS. OLYMPIC (via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., December 15.
Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When sent by air over United States lines, mail may be posted two days later than the dates indicated.

WEST INDIES GENERALLY

Mails close 1:30 p.m., December 15.

JAMAICA

Mails close 1:30 p.m., December 14, 16.

ARMY TESTING NEW AUTOGIRO

Ways of Employing Rota to Best Advantage Are Being Explored

Pilots of the School of Army Co-operation at Old Sarum, near Salisbury, England, have commenced preliminary instruction in the use of the new Rota autogiro aircraft for army liaison duties. Six of these machines, built by the Avro Company, have been delivered, and ways and means of employing them to the best advantage in work with ground forces are being explored. In recent army manoeuvres over Salisbury Plain, the chief of the Imperial General Staff, General Sir Archibald Montgomery-Massingberd, flew in a Rota to inspect troops.

Rota is the official name given to the C.30.P. autogiro, a first batch of one hundred of which was laid down in the Spring of the year at the Avro factory in Manchester. It has two open cockpits and "direct control" by one lever; rudder, elevators and ailerons are eliminated. It has unusual qualities of steep ascent and descent. It lands at zero speed, and can fly under full control as slowly as 15 m.p.h. The importance of these qualities in army co-operation flying is plain; not only can a military observer take his time over artillery spotting and reconnaissance, but the very low minimum speed enables messages actually to be picked up from and let down by hand to a soldier on the ground.

The autogiro is the only flying machine lifted by moving surfaces which has yet achieved success. It is not a helicopter, in which the lifting vanes are rotated by engine power. The autogiro vanes rotate windwill fashion under the influence of the air forces affecting them in flight; before taking off the vanes are started and accelerated nearly to flying speed by a clutch device that provides temporary connection between rotor and the engine, which, as in an ordinary fixed-wing airplane, drives an airscrew when in flight.

Considerably larger autogiro aircraft are planned and in construction. One of these is a cabin machine to seat four or five occupants which is being built to Air Ministry order at the Westland works. It should be flying early in the new year.

Queen Charlotte Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 13 and 27, and January 10 and 24.
VIA PRINCE RUPERT — Mails close 1:30 p.m., December 5 and 19, and January 2, 16 and 30.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 1:30 p.m., November 9, 23, December 14, 28.
VIA SEATTLE — Mails close 4 p.m., November 2, 16, 30, December 7, 21.

Gulf Plane Service

Canadian Airways plane leaves Vancouver daily at 9:30 a.m.; arrives Esquimalt daily at 10:15 a.m. Leaves Esquimalt daily at 3:30 p.m.; arrives Vancouver daily at 4:15 p.m.

Shamrock I Ends Career on Lonely Farquhar Islands

Shamrock I, Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht that raced and was beaten for the America's Cup in 1899, has ended her days on a reef at the Farquhar Islands, a lonely group in the Indian Ocean between Seychelles and Madagascar. She was not known as Shamrock I, but as the Noddedkallen, the name given to her by Kay Elbo, a Danish scientist, who bought her from Sir Thomas Lipton.

He left Copenhagen, on May 28, 1931, on a scientific cruise, mostly in Pacific waters. When heading from Bali for Mombasa, the vessel met a cyclone, in which one mast was broken, and Mr. Elbo and his one companion reached Keeling almost dead with fatigue. They rigged a jury mast of bamboo, and again set out for Mombasa. Again a storm arose, and the vessel went ashore on a reef at Farquhar Islands.

The two men got into their lifeboat and managed to reach Seychelles, having lost everything they had collected in three years—cinematograph pictures, precious stones, corals, marine specimens and observations.

Christmas and New Year's Holiday Fares
to
OCEAN FALLS, PRINCE RUPERT and Other Ports in Northern B.C.
RETURN FARE (Including Meals and Berth):
To Ocean Falls.... $23.00
To Prince Rupert $32.00
Other Fares on Application
Tickets good on steamer sailing December 12, December 14, December 19, December 26, and December 28, returning on any steamer prior to January 16, 1935.
Canadian Pacific

A WINTER HOLIDAY in the "ROCKIES"
ALL INCLUSIVE FARES
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LOW WINTER EXCURSION FARES TO
CALIFORNIA
Enjoy a few days, or weeks, or even months of summer this winter in California. The winter excursion fares are remarkably low via the great "Alexander" liners and living costs are below the average in Southern California. The low round-trip fares quoted permit return any time to and including April 30th. Similar low one-way fares including berth and meals.

SAN FRANCISCO and return $37.50
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SHOP BY BUS

The streets of Victoria are going to be crowded this Christmas—and parking space will be at a premium. The "COACH LINES" Depot is centrally located, with a large waiting-room for the convenience of the public. Travel to the shops by bus and save the time required for looking for a place to leave the car.

Low Christmas and New Year's Fares
To Points on Vancouver Island
SINGLE FARE AND A QUARTER FOR THE ROUND TRIP
Good going from Friday noon (December 21 and 28) to midnight on Christmas and New Year's Eve, respectively. Good returning any time before midnight on the day after Christmas and New Year's Day, respectively.
SEND YOUR CHRISTMAS PARCELS BY
Coach Lines Express
Fast, Economical Service to Island Points
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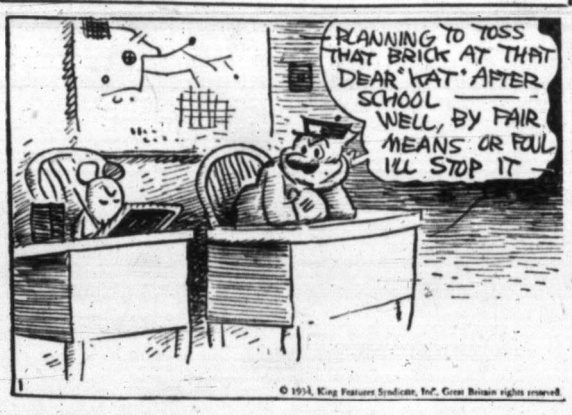
E 1177 BROUGHTON STREET, AT BROAD E 1178

KRAZY KAT . . . . . By Herriman



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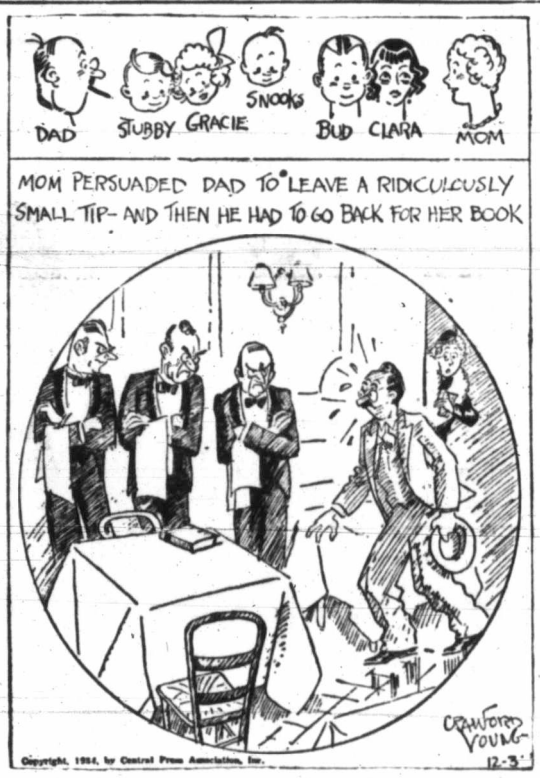

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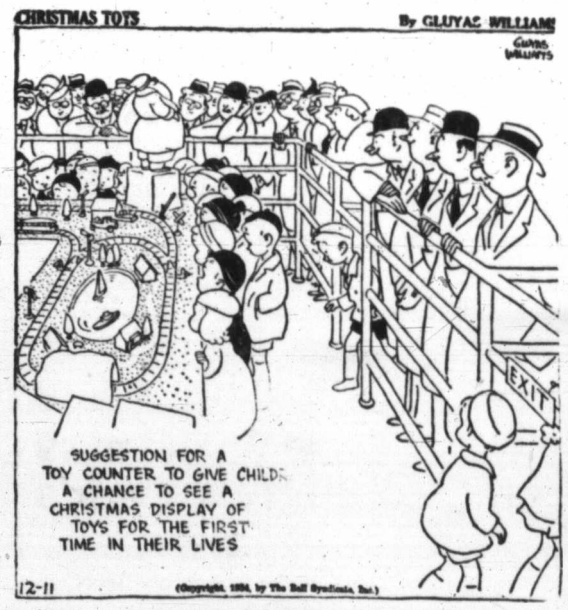


How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

HOODWINK

To hoodwink is to deceive or to impose upon; but just why it should connote this sense is interesting.

There is a story to the effect that "hoodwink" acquired popular usage because a certain notorious English admiral named Hood, at a trial at which he was charged with fraud, winked to the judge while making an ambiguous explanation, whereupon the word "hoodwink" became synonymous with "to trick."

However this may be, the unvarnished etymological history seems to the writer more convincing.

Hoodwink is a combination of two words—hood and wink, meaning covering the eyes with a hood.

Developing figuratively along the line indicated, we find the phrase "hoodwinked with kindness" used by Sir Philip Sidney; while Shakespeare, in the same vein, has one of his characters say, "We will blind and hoodwink him."

The little boy's favorite uncle was being married. Shortly before the wedding the youngster approached his mother.

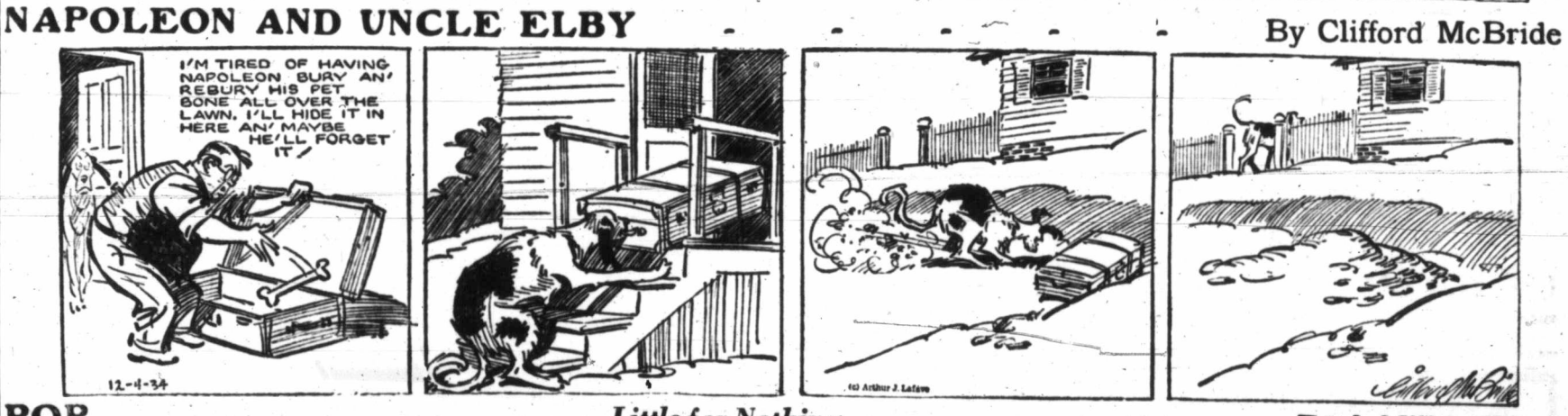
"Mummy," he said rather dolefully, "they give them anything they like to eat for the last day or two, don't they?"

APPLE MARY By Martha Orr

TODDY *Business Talk* By George Marcoux

POPEYE *"Happy New Year!"* By Segar

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY By Clifford McBride



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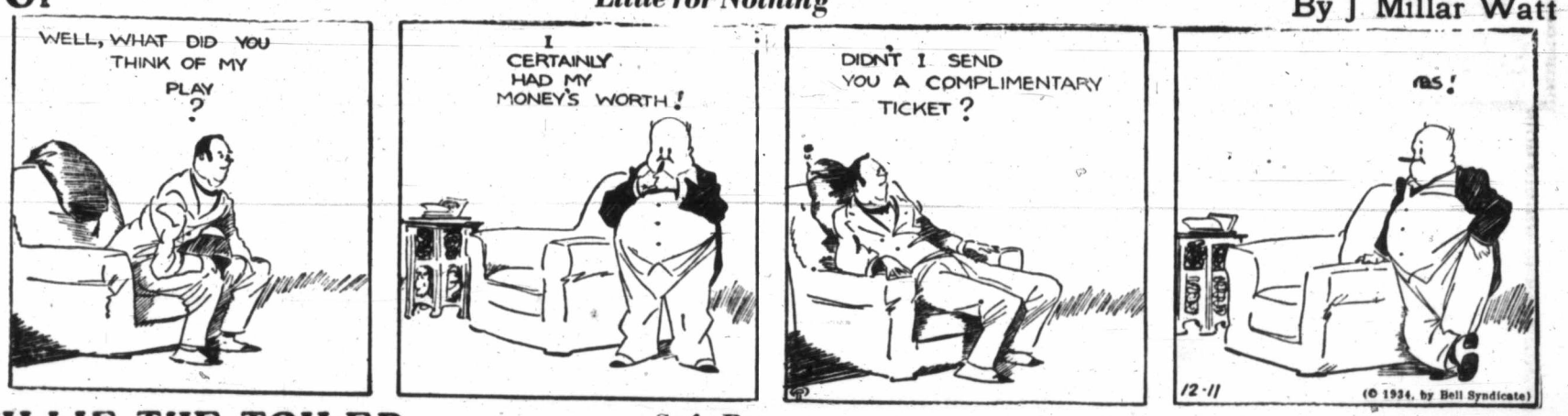

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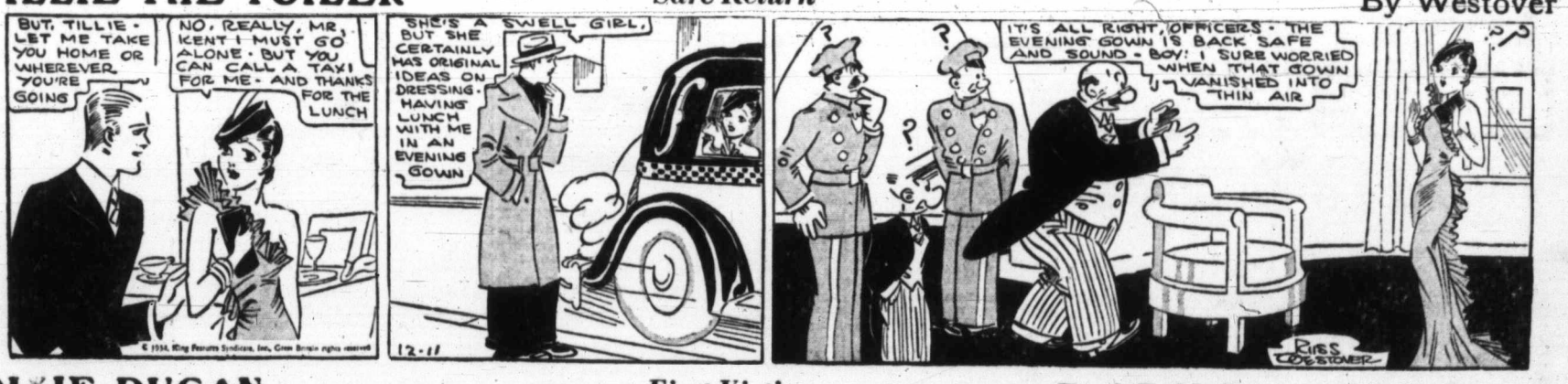

DIXIE DUGAN *First Victim* By J P McEvoy and J H Striebel

Business and Professional Directory, Want Ads

The Daily Colonist

RATES FOR CLASSIFIED OR WANT ADVERTISEMENTS

One and one-half cents a word each insertion; nine cents a word a week, with a minimum of ten words; cash with order. No advertisement accepted for less than twenty-five cents.

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Advertisers who desire may have replies addressed to a box at The Colonist and forwarded to their private address. A charge of ten cents is made for mailing replies. In this case add three words ("Box.....Colonist") to the count for the number of words.

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2 DEATHS

WALTON—On December 8, at the family residence, 2630 Graham Street, John Thomas Walton, aged fifty-nine years; born in Darlington, England, and a resident of this city for forty years. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow and one daughter, Eleanor, at home, and one sister, Mrs. A. Okell, Albert Head.

The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will be held this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. E. F. Church officiating. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

CREED—On Sunday, December 9, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, John Creed, aged seventy-four years, of 1621 Fernwood Road. The late Mr. Creed was born in London, England, and came to San Francisco sixty years ago, and to Victoria over fifty years ago. He is mourned by his widow, three sons and two daughters, John A., Walter C., and G. Stanley, and Mrs. R. Anker and Mrs. A. Jordan, and five grandchildren, all of this city.

The funeral will take place this afternoon from McCall Brothers Funeral Home at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. H. A. Warr will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

McLAREN—There passed away, Monday evening, at the family residence, 723 Powderley Avenue, James Arthur McLaren, aged seventy years. The late Mr. McLaren was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and for some time resided in Denver, Colo., before coming to this city forty years ago. He leaves in sorrow his widow, at the family residence; four sons, James, Inez Drive, Saanich; Monteith, Mary Street, city; Archie, at the family residence, and Alec, Inez Drive; also four daughters, Mrs. C. L. Ross, Victoria West; Mrs. J. Sykes, Inez Drive; Mrs. W. Donaldson, Cook Street, and Miss Patricia McLaren, Inez Drive. There is also one sister, Mrs. F. A. Emerson, residing in Cleveland, Ohio.

The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

ROBILLARD—Passed away suddenly, at the family residence, Sooke, B.C., December 10, Mrs. Ella Robillard, widow of the late Arthur F. Robillard. Mrs. Robillard was a native of France and had resided in British Columbia for the past twenty-seven years, the past ten years a resident of Sooke. She is survived by two sons, Raoul and Andre Robillard, at the family residence.

The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday morning, December 13, at 8:45, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Rev. Father Gaudette officiating. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. Friends kindly accept this intimation.

6 FUNERAL DIRECTORS

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Distinctive Funeral Service in Our New Mortuary at Moderate Cost. Experienced Lady Attendant
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7 FLOWERS

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8 MONUMENTAL WORKS

STEWART MONUMENTAL WORKS, LTD. Take No. 6 car to works. 1401 May Street. Phone G 3452.

10 COMING EVENTS

AUCTION BRIDGE PARTY—CHOICEST turkey prizes; Tuesday, December 11, Campbell Building, 8:30 sharp. Auspices Saanich Conservative Association. Refreshments. Admission 25c.

ANOTHER OLD-TIME DANCE, STRAWberry Vale Hall, Friday, December 14, 9 o'clock. Scafe's orchestra; tombolas; refreshments; 35c.

AN OLD-TIME CANADIAN BEGINNERS' dance tonight, K. of P. Hall, Broad St., 8:30. "Scotty" MacKenzie, instructor.

DANCE, MARIGOLD HALL, DECEMBER 13, 9-12. "Slim" Hunter's Orchestra. Refreshments. Turkey tombola. Admission 25c. Bus leaves Marigold 12:15 a.m. Ward Four Ratepayers' Association.

DANCE, BRITANNIA BRANCH, CANAdian Legion, B.E.S.L., Shrine Hall, Thursday, December 13, 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. Zala's Orchestra. Admission 25c.

DANCE, 5TH (B.C.) COAST BRIGADE, C.A., Wednesday, December 12, 9 to 1, Armories, Bay Street. 25c. Refreshments.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST CHURCH SILVER tea, S.O.E. Hall, Tuesday, 2:30 p.m. Readings.

OLD-TIME DANCE, WEDNESDAY, December 12, St. Luke's Hall. Irvine's Orchestra; 9 to 1; refreshments; 25c. Auspices St. Luke's Scouts.

OLD-TIME DANCE, ROYAL OAK HALL, December 14, 9-1. "Red" Barker's Orchestra; 35c. Draw for turkeys.

PRO PATRIA BRANCH, CANADIAN Legion, will hold its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, December 11, at 8 p.m. As large an attendance of members as possible is desired.

PROGRESSIVE FIVE HUNDRED, CAMPbell Bldg. Turkey prizes, free tombola. Admission 25c. 8:30 p.m., Friday, December 14.

PARTNER 500, TONIGHT, 8:30, 1230 Government Street. Usual good prizes.

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42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

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42B HORSES

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49A FURNISHED

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A NEW Oak Bay home, designed to appeal to the discriminating purchaser. Layout: Entrance hall; living-room, 16x24, with English tile fireplace; French doors to dining-room, 12x15; well-planned kitchen with tile sink; one bedroom down and a modern bathroom; upstairs, three bedrooms and second bathroom. Garage in full cement basement, and an up-to-date hot-water heating plant makes this a real buy at $7,500. And the owner will accept an older home as part payment.

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WE have an eight-room semi-bungalow, on a fifty-foot lot, with seafrontage on a delightful little cove, in among good homes, which has got in a poor state of repair through lack of funds. It is on concrete foundation, equipped with furnace, three-piece bathroom, fireplace and garage. This can be bought for less than the cost of a Summer cottage. Come in and inquire about it.

HILLSIDE AVENUE, CLOSE IN

OLD cottage of five rooms, fireplace, bathroom; large lot; near Douglas Street. Price.......... $750

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FIVE rooms, with two bedrooms, equipped with fireplace, bathroom and separate toilet, concrete basement and furnace; small lot; all in very good shape. Price $2500

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WELL WORTH $3,500. REDUCED TO $2,000. This well-planned residence consists of reception-room, dining-room and kitchen on the ground floor; upstairs, three bedrooms and bathroom. Full-size basement, cemented; hot-air furnace. Garage. Yearly taxes only $27. High elevation. Property 100 x 120; choice loam. Immediate possession. Further particulars at office.

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80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

BEAUTIFUL HIGH GORGE LOT (SAANich), half block from Gorge Road, overlooking Gorge water and surrounding district. A real bargain, only $135. "See Ray," 110 Union Bldg., care Rosevear Co.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

290 ACRES
ESTIMATED 10 TO 12 MILLION FEET TIMBER

A MILE and half of waterfront at Long Beach, on West Coast, the coming Summer resort. Excellent proposition for sawmill. Figure the profits on timber alone. THIS IS A REAL MONEY PROPOSITION, and the PRICE ASKED OF ONLY $4,500 IS TRULY RIDICULOUS. Owner would consider an exchange for Victoria property or close-in acreage.

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ACREAGE

GORGE WATERFRONT—2 acres, nicely treed; some good land; warm bathing. Bungalow, 32 x 30, partly finished—foundations and floorings up; quantity of lumber and bricks on property. Low taxes and the price is only $1100

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OWNER invites inspection of exceptionally unique and attractive property on Saanich Peninsula. Southern exposure on Saanich Arm. Ideal location for Summer or permanent residence. 1½ to 50 acres. 10% cash balance on mortgage, if desired, for lengthy period, 6½%. For appointment to inspect property, address Owner, Box 4824, Colonist.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE (Continued)

COUNTRY HOME BARGAIN—Only few miles from Victoria on paved road. About seventy acres, four acres cleared. Five-room house, good barn, double garage and other buildings. Good never-failing stream runs through property. Fruit trees. Two cows, brood sow; plenty wood. For $2,000 (two thousand dollars). Box 5921, Colonist.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

SMALL FARM BARGAIN

12 ACRES, TEN ACRES OF ARABLE land, balance treed and rocky. Excellent buildings, viz., four-room cottage, barn with hayloft, dairy house, brooder house, chicken house, garage, workshop and woodshed. Price $1,500, on terms of $500 cash; balance can be paid on easy terms.

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86 FARMS FOR RENT

5 ACRES, WITH MODERN 4-ROOM stucco bungalow; $10 per month. Nine miles from Victoria. Box 6479, Colonist.

Orphans' Home ANNUAL MEETING

The Sixty-Second Annual Meeting of the Subscribers to the B.C. Protestant Orphans' Home will be held on Tuesday, December 11, 1934, at 4:30 p.m., at the City Hall, Victoria, B.C., for the purpose of considering annual reports, the election of a board of management, and transacting any other business in the interest of the Society.

A Managers' Meeting will follow the Annual Meeting.

ARTHUR LEE, President.
REG. HAYWARD, Secretary.

SHERIFF'S SALE

REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of an order issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated October 30th, 1934, and made by the Honorable Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald, in an action wherein Edward Hodgson is plaintiff and William J. Taylor and Mallowmot Farm, Limited, both of Victoria, British Columbia, are defendants, I will offer for sale at public auction at my office, Courthouse, Victoria, B.C., on Wednesday, the 12th day of December, 1934, at 11 o'clock of the forenoon, all interest of the said defendant William J. Taylor in and to the following described lands, being Sections 16, 17, and 18, Range 1 West, North Saanich District.

Plaintiff (judgment creditor): Edward Hodgson.

Defendant (judgment debtor): William J. Taylor.

Amount of plaintiff's judgments now amounting to $20,922.96.

Registered owner: William John Taylor. Indefeasible Title 79508I.

Registered charges: 70588G, Crown debt, notice dated 13-1-30, in favor of His Majesty the King in right of the Province of British Columbia against William John Taylor for $2,176.75 for delinquent income taxes; application received 13-1-30 at 12:18 p.m.

Applications for registration: None.

Receiving order or authorized assignment under the "Bankruptcy Act": None.

Assignment for benefit of creditors: None.

Judgments: No. 7056 (being renewal of Judgment No. 6897), for $1,626.05 costs against William John Taylor in favor of Harold Bruce Robertson and Guy S. Rothwell, executors of the will of Mabel Hope Eberts, as executrix of the will of David McEwan (MacEwan) Eberts, deceased; registered 12-5-34 at 10:20 a.m.

No. 7070 (being renewal of Judgment No. 6752), for $17,280 debt and $539.75 costs against William J. Taylor in favor of Edward Hodgson; registered 20-7-34 at 2:27 p.m.

No. 7071 (being renewal of Judgment No. 6928), for $1,527.40 against William John Taylor et al. in favor of Edward Hodgson; registered 20-7-34 at 2:28 p.m.

No. 7072, for $1,171.55 costs against William John Taylor et al, in favor of Edward Hodgson; registered 20-7-34 at 2:28 p.m.

No. 7073 (being renewal of Judgment No. 6929), for $319 and costs taxed at $33.45 against William John Taylor in favor of Mike Gercsak, Joe Gercsak, and John Gercsak: registered 24-7-34 at 2:25 p.m.

No. 7100A, for $2,109.25 costs against William John Taylor in favor of Hugh Archibald Maclean, under assignment dated 13-10-34 from Wesley Alexander Brethour of Judgment No. 7099; registered 15-10-34 at 10:13 a.m.

Mechanics' lien: None.

Note.—The property will be offered subject to arrears of taxes for five years, amounting with interest to $1,775 approximately.

Terms of sale: Cash.

H. W. GOGGIN,
Sheriff, County of Victoria.
Sheriff's Office,
Victoria, B.C., November 14th, 1934.
6040-no-15

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT

IN THE MATTER OF THE BANKRUPTCY OF ORESTE NOTTE, DEBTOR

STOCK, FITTINGS AND EQUIPMENT FOR SALE BY TENDER

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of the stock-in-trade, fittings and equipment of Oreste Notte, trading under the firm name and style of "The Bon Ton Pastry & Confectionery, 1211 Douglas Street, Victoria, B.C. The above assets can be viewed at 1211 Douglas Street, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 12 Noon on Wednesday, December 12, 1934.

Tenders must be in the hands of the undersigned not later than noon of Thursday, December 13, 1934, and must be accompanied by ten per cent of the amount tendered. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HAROLD G. HINTON, C.A.,
Trustee.
808-811 Bank of Toronto Building, Victoria, B.C.

"PUBLIC INQUIRIES ACT"

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Commission appointed to inquire into matters pertaining to coal and petroleum products, as set forth in detail in the British Columbia Gazette of the 29th ultimo, will be held in the Court of Appeal room, in the Court House, Victoria, on Wednesday, December 12th, 1934, commencing at 2:30 P.M.

M. A. MACDONALD,
Commissioner.
Vancouver, B.C., December 6th, 1934.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

POLICE NOTICE

MOTORISTS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED

A 15-mile zone has been established for a distance North and South of the intersection of the East and West Saanich Roads. Speed limit, 15 miles.

A. A. RANKIN,
Chief of Police.
December 10, 1934.

A BARGAIN

4-Room Stucco Bungalow

in good location, near street car line, with all city improvements. Can be bought for $2,500 on easy terms. Owner will accept vacant lots in Oak Bay as part payment.

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725 FORT STREET

$22,000 Country Home for $6,000
Two acres delightful grounds, magnificent view.
Grade "A" Dairy, Modern Home, $2,750
Six rooms; 3½ miles; cottage; orchard.
Five rooms, bargain; city; $700.

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Up-Island country residence. Seven-room house, in excellent state of repair. Full plumbing. Garage. Stables, poultry houses, etc. Standing in 30 acres of timbered grounds. About 5 acres under cultivation. Orchard, gardens, etc. Large creek through property. Sacrifice price.... $2000

CLOSE IN—New five-room bungalow $2000

WITHIN TWO-MILE CIRCLE — New well-built stucco bungalow. Three bedrooms, basement, furnace, garage, good garden $2750

OAK BAY

OLIVER STREET — Good building lot, in garden and fruit trees. All fenced. Near Windsor Road $350

ST. PATRICK STREET — Stucco bungalow. Large living-rooms and dining-room; four bedrooms. Hardwood floors. Hot-water heating. A bargain at $3500

FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW — Full basement. Half block from car line. On terms $1000

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G 8124 625 Fort St.
F. J. D. Pemberton, Manager
Real Estate Dept.

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COMMODIOUS BUNGALOW OF EIGHT ROOMS.
A HOME WITH ATMOSPHERE OF COMFORT AND SECLUSION.
ONE ACRE OF LAND.
It must be seen to be appreciated.
Price reduced to, on terms, $7,000

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Close to Sea and School

Owner compelled to sell or he will lose this new 5-room bungalow. Oak floors in hall, living-room and dining-room; up-to-minute plumbing, full cement basement. Let us show you this property and then make an offer.

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FOUR ACRES PARK LAND

Stucco residence, seven rooms and large hall, delightfully situated about three miles from town. High location, with magnificent views, this modern home is set back well in its own grounds, insuring the privacy of a country home, and being in the Saanich district, taxes are reasonable. House is of bungalow type, with good sized rooms (three bedrooms), fireplaces in living and dining-rooms, built-in bath, etc. Double garage. Price is reasonable, and property can be seen by appointment only.

Heisterman, Forman & Co.
608 View Street

Why Pay Rent?

Here is a six-room cottage, cosy and warm, with fireplace, three bedrooms, dining, kitchen, bathroom and garage, for

$750

Further, there is a nice garden lot, low taxes, and it is within easy walking distance. What a Christmas present for someone!

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Ten-room, well-built house. Panelled living-rooms, two fireplaces, good basement and furnace, one acre of grounds. Good fruit trees, sheltered position, within the two-mile circle $4,000

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Nine-room well-built house, standing amidst beautiful trees, and two acres of valuable land. A gift at $6,500

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Every Tuberculosis Christmas Seal Sale is a recovery campaign.

Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

TODAY

11:30 a.m.—"The Common Gentleman," Moliere's comedy of manners will be dramatized on the School of the Air programme.—KOL, KVI.

12 noon—The Radio Symphony Orchestra of the Radiojanst (Swedish Broadcasting System) will be heard over Columbia lines in a special short-wave broadcast from Stockholm.—KOL, KVI.

6 p.m.—Bing Crosby will be heard with the Boswell Sisters and Georgie Stoll's Band.—KOL, KVI, KSL.

7 p.m.—Gladys Swarthout and John Barclay will star in a tabloid version of Romberg's "Princess Flavia" on the Beauty Box Theatre offering.—KOMO.

7:30 p.m.—The King's English will be murdered again tonight as George Givot appears before Columbia "mikes."—KOL, KVI, KSL.

8 p.m.—The Colonist news flashes.—CFCT.

8:15 p.m.—Hal Burdick, the night editor, will open a new series of programmes at this time.—KPO.

9 p.m.—Ben Bernie will be back in Hollywood and will introduce Sol Hoopii, Hawaiian musician, as the guest star of the popular programme.—KOMO.

9:30 p.m.—A true story of a Chinese who had nine lives will be told by the Old Ranger as he recites the tale of "Rest in Peace."—KOMO.

CFCT, VICTORIA (1,450 Kys.)
8:00 a.m.—Timely Topics, Dr. Clem Davies.
8:15 a.m.—Tempus Fugit.
8:30 a.m.—Let's Go Places With Eric Marshall.
8:45 p.m.—Time flies.
9:00 a.m.—Morning Moods.
10:00 a.m.—Feature programme.
10:15 a.m.—Art Parey.
10:45 a.m.—McLean's Quarter-Hour.
11:00 a.m.—Music in the Air.
11:30 a.m.—The Concert Album.
12 noon—Melodie Moderne.
12:15 p.m.—World Bookman: "Why are Some People Superstitious About Spilling Salt at the Dinner Table?"
12:30 p.m.—Ten Tuneful Minutes.
5:30 p.m.—Birthday Party.
6:00 p.m.—Dancing Tempo.
6:30 p.m.—Mayor Leeming, candidate for re-election.
6:45 p.m.—Alderman Luney, candidate for re-election.
7:00 p.m.—Alderman McGavin, candidate for re-election.
7:15 p.m.—Sundown.
7:30 p.m.—Feature programme.
7:45 p.m.—Alderman Hunter, candidate for re-election.
8:00 p.m.—Colonist Radio Reporter.
8:15 p.m.—Gyro Christmas Hamper Fund programme.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (600 keys)
5:15 p.m.—Cariboo Cowboys.
5:45 p.m.—Mellow Melodies.
6:00 p.m.—Frankie and Alice.
6:45 p.m.—Spencer Santa Claus Programme.
7:00 p.m.—C. E. Tisdall, talk.
7:15 p.m.—Canadian Commonwealth Federation.
7:30 p.m.—W. Shinnick, talk.
7:45 p.m.—R. H. Neelands, talk.
8:15 p.m.—Bay Fit Trio.
8:45 p.m.—Melting Pot, variety.
10:00 p.m.—Sweet, Low, instrumental.
10:30 p.m.—Monitor Views the News.

CKWX, Vancouver, B.C. (1,010 keys)
6:00 p.m.—Halford Wilson, talk.
6:15 p.m.—Famous Players' Programme.
6:25 p.m.—Alderman De Graves, talk.
6:30 p.m.—News Varieties.
6:45 p.m.—Happy Family.
7:00 p.m.—G. G. McGeer for Mayor.
7:15 p.m.—Harry F. Kydd, talk.

CRCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 keys)
5:30 p.m.—Variety Programme.
6:00 p.m.—See CRC Network.
8:45 p.m.—Political Talk.

CKMO, Vancouver, B.C. (1,410 keys)
2:30 p.m.—Madame Juliette, beauty.
4:30 p.m.—Afternoon Tea Dansant.
6:00 p.m.—British Empire Programe.
7:30 p.m.—Sports Review.
7:45 p.m.—Ethel Howell, pianist.
8:00 p.m.—Rev. Elbert Paul.
8:15 p.m.—Bill Brian and June Day.

CRC NETWORK
6:00 p.m.—Soirees de Quebec.
6:30 p.m.—Hands Across the Border, soloists, orchestra, director, Joseph Littau (NBC, New York).
7:00 p.m.—Mastering the Ceremonies, Doc Guy, instrumental and vocal ensemble; director, Isaac Mamott, Winnipeg.
7:30 p.m.—Billy Bissett's Royal York Orchestra, Toronto.
7:45 p.m.—News and Weather Forecast.
8:00 p.m.—String Octette, director, Holroyd Paull, Vancouver.
8:30 p.m.—News (B.C. Network).
8:30 p.m.—Pianology, Al. Smith, Regina (except B.C.).
8:45 p.m.—Similitudes, Gladys Cooper, Hazel McDonald, Don Flynn, pianists (Western Network).
9:15 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs., comedy act, Vancouver (B.C. Network).
9:30 p.m.—Organ Silhouettes, Allan Caron, Winnipeg.
10:00 p.m.—Neapolitan Trio, director, Cardo Smalley, Vancouver (B.C. Network).

NBC-KPO NETWORK
KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO-KJR
9:15 a.m.—Musicale, organ and violin.
9:30 a.m.—Martha Meade Society, domestic science.
9:45 a.m.—Three of a Kind, violins (from (KGO).
10:00 a.m.—Press-Radio News (KGO to Network).
10:05 a.m.—Army Band Concert (KGO to Network).
10:30 a.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air.
11:30 a.m.—Smackout, Marion and Jim Jordan.
11:45 a.m.—Vic and Sade, comedy, Bernardine Flynn.
12:00 noon—Art Collins' Orchestra (KGO to Network).
12:15 p.m.—Western Farm and Home Hour
1:00 p.m.—Betty and Bob, dramatic sketch.
1:15 p.m.—East and Dumke, comedy duo.
1:30 p.m.—Ma Perkins, dramatic serial.
1:45 p.m.—Betty Marlowe, talk, drama.
2:00 p.m.—Al. Pearce Gang, variety programme.
3:00 p.m.—Langendorf Pictorial, Rush Hughes.
3:15 p.m.—Mickey Gillette and His Music.
4:00 p.m.—King's Guard, male quartette.
4:15 p.m.—Oriental Gardens' Orchestra.
4:30 p.m.—You and Your Government.
4:45 p.m.—The Big Top, Children's Programme.
5:00 p.m.—Beaux Arts Trio, instrumental
5:30 p.m.—Chester Rowell, talk (KGO to Network).
5:30 p.m.—Behind the Footlights (KPO).
5:45 p.m.—Ricardo and His Violin.
6:00 p.m.—Chiffon Jazz, director, Meredith Willson.
6:30 p.m.—Ed Wynn, comedian; Graham McNamee, M.C.; Eddie Duchin's Orchestra.
7:00 p.m.—Beauty Box Theatre: Gladys Swarthout, mezzo-soprano; John Barclay, baritone; actors; Nat Shilkret's Orchestra.
8:00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
8:30 p.m.—Leo Reisman's Orchestra; Phil Duey, baritone.
9:00 p.m.—Ben Bernie and His Orchestra.
9:30 p.m.—Death Valley Days, dramatized true stories by the Old Ranger.
10:00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10:15 p.m.—Tom Coakley's Orchestra.
10:55 p.m.—Press-Radio News Service.
11:00 p.m.—Freddie Bergin's Bal Tabarin Orchestra (KPO).
11:00 p.m.—Ted Fio-Rito's Orchestra (KGO to Network).
11:30 p.m.—Jack Mills' Orchestra; Kay Austin (from KOMO).
11:30 p.m.—Organ Concert (KPO).

CBS-DON LEE NETWORK
KVI-KFRC-KOIN-KSL-KOL
9:00 a.m.—Voice of Experience.
9:15 a.m.—The Gumps, comedy.
9:45 a.m.—Arthur Warren's Orchestra.
10:00 a.m.—Just Plain Bill.
10:15 a.m.—George Hall's Orchestra.
10:30 a.m.—Esther Velas' Ensemble.
10:45 a.m.—Bob Allen, pianist (Don Lee).
10:45 a.m.—Pat Kennedy, tenor; Art Kassel's Orchestra.
11:30 a.m.—School of the Air, literature, High School, Le Bourgeous Gentilhomme, Moliere.
12:00 noon—Columbia Variety Hour.
1:00 p.m.—Visiting America's Little House
1:15 p.m.—Poetic Strings.
1:30 p.m.—Science Service.
1:45 p.m.—Dick Messner's Orchestra.
2:00 p.m.—Happy-Go-Lucky Hour (Don Lee).
3:00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies (Don Lee).
3:15 p.m.—Sis Mirandy.
3:30 p.m.—Club Trouville Matinee (Don Lee).
3:45 p.m.—Correct English, A. Clippenger (Don Lee).
4:00 p.m.—Danny Russo's Orchestra.
4:15 p.m.—World Affairs (Don Lee).
4:30 p.m.—Jerry Cooper, baritone.
4:45 p.m.—Between the Bookends, Ted Malone.
5:00 p.m.—Keith Beecher's Orchestra.
5:15 p.m.—Billy Bachelor, drama.
5:30 p.m.—Chic Scoggin and Orchestra.
5:30 p.m.—Motor Car Company Programme (Don Lee).
6:00 p.m.—Bing Crosby, baritone; Boswell Sisters.
6:30 p.m.—Isham Jones' Orchestra; guest artists.
7:00 p.m.—Walter O'Keefe, Annette Hanshaw, Ted Husing, Glen Gray's Casa Lomans.
7:30 p.m.—George Givot, Greek Goodwill Ambassador.
8:00 p.m.—Myrt and Marge, drama.
8:15 p.m.—Joe Haymes and Orchestra.
8:30 p.m.—Henry Busse and Orchestra.
8:45 p.m.—Al Kavelin's Orchestra.
9:00 p.m.—Clyde Lucas' Orchestra.
9:30 p.m.—Leon Navara's Orchestra.
10:15 p.m.—Fred Skinner, song stylist (Don Lee).
10:30 p.m.—Orville Knapp's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11:00 p.m.—Dick Jergen's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11:30 p.m.—Lionel Hampton's Orchestra (Don Lee).

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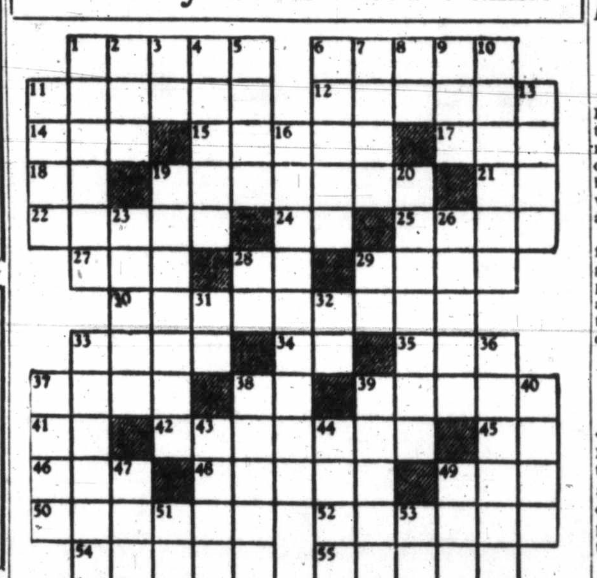
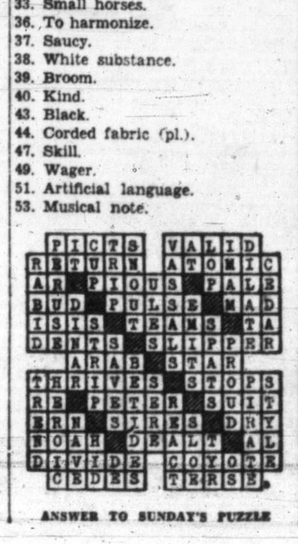
The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS
1. Assistants.
6. Underground parts.
11. Most unusual.
12. Plumes.
14. Wine cup.
15. More refined.
17. Welsh river.
18. Italian for "yes."
19. Taken away.
21. French conjunction.
22. Tests.
24. Compass point.
25. Mistakes.
27. Worm.
28. By.
29. Beverages.
30. Inundated.
33. Weak.
34. Symbol for nickel.
35. Afternoon party.
37. Rhymster.
38. Pronoun.
39. Outdoes.
41. Type unit.
42. Cut.
45. Toward.
46. Inlet.
48. Portends.
49. Prickly flower head.
50. Great fright.
52. Effective.
54. Unfeeling.
55. To strike.

DOWN
1. To like greatly.
2. Greek mountain.
3. Prefix: down.
4. Anglo-Saxon slaves.
5. Glimpse (Scot. var.).
6. To pass rope through block.
7. Monster.
8. Conjunction.
9. To spread.
10. Beef animals.
11. Oven.
13. Places.
16. Satisfied.
19. Outcomes.
20. Stricken out.
23. To give forth.
26. Interprets.
28. Part of "to be."
29. Symbol for argentum.
31. To exist.
32. Japanese measure.
33. Small horses.
36. To harmonize.
37. Saucy.
38. White substance.
39. Broom.
40. Kind.
43. Black.
44. Corded fabric (pl.).
47. Skill.
49. Wager.
51. Artificial language.
53. Musical note.



ANSWER TO SUNDAY'S PUZZLE

GOOD SAMARITAN VICTIM OF THUGS

Vancouver Man Finds Too Late That Man Lying on Road Was Decoy

BURNABY, Dec. 10 (CP).—Playing the "Good Samaritan" cost E. A Hill, Vancouver insurance agent, $60 in cash and a blow over the head tonight, when he fell victim to a new hold-up scheme of a trio of bandits.

Hill was driving his car along a rural road when he saw a man lying in a roadway, apparently unconscious. Stopping his car, Hill got out, but had no sooner reached the man than he was pounced upon by two others, who hit him several times about the face and head with what he believes was a gun. The man who had been lying on the roadway as a decoy got up, and the three went through Hill's pockets and relieved him of his cash and fled.

MINISTER IS HERE TODAY

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mental calls in conjunction with Federal offices here.

Popular while a member in the House of Commons, with a staunch following in the Interior of the province, the elevation of Mr. Stirling to Cabinet position has brought to prominence one of the most consistent believers in the future of British Columbia.

WELL KNOWN HERE

Throughout the province on the present mission, Mr. Stirling has been met at every point by scores of friends and supporters, anxious to congratulate him on his recent honors. He is well known in Victoria, in connection with annual meetings of the British Columbia Conservative Association.

It is understood the minister's present mission is to familiarize himself with the Federal establishment in matters of national defence. In Vancouver last week he received delegations on fishery affairs.

Grain Ships Are Trapped By River Ice

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP). — Jammed in thick ice at the entrance of the Lachine Canal tonight, were two grain freighters bound for the Port of Montreal. The vessels are the Damia and the J. H. Price. Their captains were able to walk 500 feet across the ice to the wharf.

The last ocean-going vessel—the August — to leave port this year cleared over the week-end and was well on her way toward the gulf, but the two lakers were held thick in the ice and unable to proceed under their own power.

Bolivia Willing To End Warfare

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 10 (AP).—Bolivia, hard pressed by Paraguay in the Chaco fighting, today, announced acceptance of the League of Nations' plan to end the warfare, but at the same time went ahead with mobilization of all her available man power.

There has been no definite answer from Asuncion as to whether Paraguay also will accept the league's peace plan, which provides for an armistice while a neutral international commission works out details of a permanent settlement.

SENTENCED FOR THEFT

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—Jack Cripps was sentenced to two years and six months in penitentiary in police court here today on a charge of theft. A second charge, that of retaining stolen property, drew six months in jail, the sentences to run concurrently.

TRAMPLED TO DEATH

TERUEL, Spain, Dec. 10 (CP-Havas).—Eight persons were killed and a score injured when fire swept a movie theatre here, today. Authorities believed the dead were trampled as the crowd rushed madly for the exits.

MAYNARD & SONS

AUCTIONEERS

Important Sale of English Mahogany and Modern Walnut Furniture, Etc.

Being the furnishings from the residence of C. L. H. Branson, Esq. (Ten Mile Point) and removed to our rooms, 731-733 Johnson Street, for convenience of sale, and will sell on

Wednesday, 1:3...

Particulars of which were ... day's Colonist and Mon... Three Diamond St... Books of Stamps a... Also Jersey Cow... Sal...

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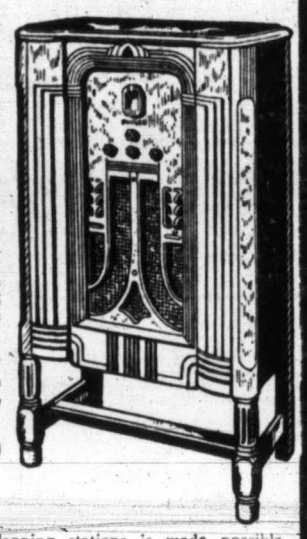
NO MORE OVERLAPPING STATIONS *with the new* 1935 PHILCO



On Saturday night, when tuned into CRCV and listening to the hockey game, were you troubled by "overlapping" stations, the phantom of other programmes cutting in on the announcer, blurring the fine points of reception? The 1935 Philco makes this a thing of the past. Now hairline selectivity enables you to pick out the programme you want, with no interference from nearby stations.

1935 Philco, with short and long wave reception:

$86.95

The elimination of overlapping stations is made possible through amazing developments found only in the 1935 Philco, in a range of type, cabinet style and price so wide that there is a radio for every taste.

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Reverse Spiral Push Up Croquignole

In order to introduce this sensational new method of permanent waving, we are making this special offer. Reverse spiral is the sensation of New York and Hollywood; closer to the head, soft wave for top and sides; beautiful tapering ringlet ends.

AVALON Beauty Shoppe 1104 Douglas St. Phone E 0522

Reports Received By Businessmen

SIDNEY, Dec. 10.—The Sidney Businessmen's Association held its regular meeting at the Sidney Hotel, an excellent repast being provided by the manager, J. Greenwood. Reports were received from various committees.

Arrangements are being made, in the near future, for the disposal of garbage in the district. Preliminary steps have been taken for the beautification of the boulevards on Beacon Avenue. The committee for consideration of fire protection for the district reported progress in their plans.

RADIO ANNOUNCER DIES

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—Edward William "Ted" Sheasgreen, thirty-seven, pioneer in Vancouver radio and formerly chief announcer at station CFCQ, died Saturday. He had been in ill-health for several years.

Are you this man?

... married
... age 25 to 35
... probably 1 or 2 children

We know the demands upon your income today warrant you saying, "I can't afford it" to any suggestion that calls for further planning, BUT did you ever really consider how small an amount is necessary to *guarantee* the plans, ambitions and happiness of your family through the years ahead.

We have prepared a special plan for just this purpose, in which your insurance budget does *double duty*. The coupon below will bring you full information without obligation. Mail it today.

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Belonging to British Columbia

Pacific Milk gets its all from British Columbia and gives back to British Columbia all that patronage gives it, and besides the big demand for it in this province it has growing markets in 17 foreign countries. It has a quality so high that patrons take the trouble to write splendid letters endorsing it.

PACIFIC MILK

"100% B.C. Owned and Controlled"

Plant at Abbotsford

CANDIDATE IS NOT OPPOSED

Kenneth Ferguson Wins City By-Election for Trustee by Acclamation

There will be no contest in the School Board by-election. This was assured yesterday, when Kenneth Ferguson was the only candidate to file his nomination papers. Nominations closed at 2 p.m.

Mr. Ferguson becomes trustee-elect for the one-year term made vacant by the death of Trustee J. M. Campbell. Mr. Ferguson served on the School Board in 1929 and 1931.

He was proposed in the by-election by George Jay, city magistrate and chairman of the School Board, and seconded by James Forman, real estate agent.

The election in the mayoralty, aldermanic and School Board fields will be held on Thursday at the Public Market Building, from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m. There are two candidates for mayor; ten for five seats on the aldermanic board, and four for three seats on the School Board.

CONVERSION OF BONDS FORCED

Premier Mussolini Takes Drastic Steps to Support Italian Credits

ROME, Dec. 10 (AP). — Premier Mussolini began a back-to-the-wall defense of Italy's lire and gold chest, Saturday, ordering forcible conversion of all foreign bonds, stock and credits held by the nation's citizens.

As a result, several billions in lira credits in dollars, pounds and francs will be turned over to the Bank of Italy. All will be exchanged for lire and will be used along with gold to pay for the surplus of imports over exports.

HUGE LOSSES

Action by the Cabinet followed quickly on the publication of the last ten-day report of the Bank of Italy, showing the loss of 110,000,000 gold lire in that period, while at the same time currency circulation rose 250 million.

In ten months the gold and foreign exchange holdings of the bank have fallen 20 per cent, as a trade deficit of two billions of lire piled up.

The bankers said forcible conversion supports the lira by putting several billions in foreign credits at the disposal of the Bank of Italy.

Christmas stands for peace and happiness. The Tuberculosis Christmas Seal brings both. Buy now!

Virginia Vane Says:

JEALOUS MALE SHUTS HIMSELF AND SWEETHEART AWAY FROM VALUABLE EXPERIENCE

Dear Virginia Vane: For four years I've been in love with the same boy. I am now twenty-one. We can't be married for some time. I have lots of chances to go out with other boys, but my true love objects to my accepting such invitations and says if I were happy with him I'd never want to go with anybody else. I am happy enough with him but long to go out occasionally. Am I being selfish?—Another Problem.

Not really Another Problem. The same old problem in a lot of ways. For it's the old, old story of the girl who hasn't had enough experience of men and of gaiety and a brief phase of popularity to be quite sure in her heart of hearts that she has acted wisely in tying herself to one man.

And if the jealous male only realized how much better off he'd be—once he'd given his sweetheart the freedom she desires! If only he knew with what confidence he might face the future, once the little girl had had her taste of popularity and fun!

As it is—what happens time after time? Why, the jealous male sulks and pleads and threatens, and the docile maiden—afraid to lose the one romance of her life—submits to his dictum. And they go on being the whole world to each other until they can afford to be married.

Marriage brings them cares and responsibilities—turns him into a family man—and her into the anxious young mother. And for awhile they're both so occupied with new duties and new jobs that they haven't time to get into trouble.

But there comes a moment when the anxious young mother looks around and wonders. Why, she asks herself, has there been so little variety in her life? Why has she always known good old Joe—dear old Joe—and no one else? How does she know that there aren't more attractive men in the world—men who don't fuss about bills, who don't look on her as the inefficient manager of a badly-run household—who in fact consider her a charming woman, worthy of being courted?

She sighs and wonders and maybe nothing comes out of it all. But there is always the possibility that a Mr. Somebody may appear on the scene—a quite unimportant Mr. Somebody—who, because he looks at her with admiration, causes himself to become Prince Charming at once. Indeed there are hundreds of cases where a young wife has landed herself in a pretty tangle simply because she's unconsciously begun to yearn for the girlhood popularity she never had.

And the young husband who married the only girl he ever knew is just as susceptible in later years to the flattery of other women. He missed all the early mistakes—and incidentally the early training which enables a man to appreciate and understand the value of the woman he's married.

To get back to your problem, A.P.: You're giving yourself away already. You want good times. You want the experience of other boys' attentions. You're feeling a faint stirring of dissatisfaction already? Why not acknowledge this to yourself?

And having admitted the truth, have the courage to speak it.

Be fair and honest with the boy now—so that when and if you do marry him, neither you nor he will have any reservations tucked up your sleeves. Marry him with the full knowledge that he's the one man in the world for you—because you've found him better suited to you than anyone else—or better not marry him at all.

WIFE SHOULD RESTRAIN HASTE TO ANGER

Anxious: The trouble started long ago with all those quarrels. As a matter of fact your two temperaments should have fitted. There is usually one quick-tempered party to the contract who forgives and forgets easily—and one, slow to anger, and impossible to placate when once angry.

Now that slow anger of your husband's has smoldered until he's decided that he must live a new life. Hence he takes himself away from you as much as possible. He's learning to enjoy being without you. He keeps remembering the many disputes and he feels he doesn't want to come back to them.

Instead of attacking him on his new scheme of existence, try to win him back with a change of temper on your part. Restrain the hasty word and cut out the whirlwind attacks. Learn to control yourself and to bring some harmony into your relationship with your husband.

Also try to interest him in his home again by arranging for him to see his friends there. Instead of taking up the independent bridge evenings which you propose, couldn't you arrange bridge games to include him? Couldn't you figure out some form of amusement which he could share with his friends in your home?

Don't worry about being the only one to forgive. You do the quick forgiving—but for all you know your husband may have held back many hasty words which you would not have taken the trouble to repress.

Make a consistent effort to regain your husband's confidence, and make his home, first of all, a place where he can entertain and be entertained.

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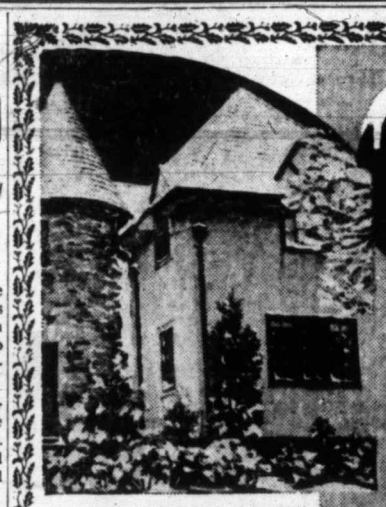

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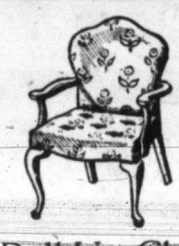

Pull-Up Chairs

Solid Walnut Pull-Up Chairs with covers of specially selected tapestry. Some with floral patterns. One of our best values at **$9.25**

Nest of Tables

What could be more pleasing than a Nest of Solid Walnut Tables? A centre table in oblong shape, and two round-top tables that go under the centre table..... **$15.75**

SMOKERS' CABINETS

Solid Walnut Smokers' Cabinets of attractive construction. Complete with ash tray. A suitable gift for a man. Priced at..... **$7.25**

FIRESIDE FOOTSTOOLS

36 Inches long, upholstered with covers in various colors of tapestry in floral patterns **$7.50**

End Tables

In walnut finish. Made with shaped top and lower shelf to match. Exceptional value at..... **$1.49**

High Chairs for Baby

Enamelled High Chairs in ivory or blue color and fitted with a removable porcelain tray. Each **$7.75**

Upholstered Child's Chairs

Chairs of walnut-finished hardwood, upholstered with tapestry and have padded seats and backs **$2.75**

Metal Radio Lamps

Various Designs **$2.75**

BED LAMPS

Pleated Parchment Bed Lamps in various color combinations. Completely wired and fitted. Each **$2.75**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

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On Sale on the Main Floor

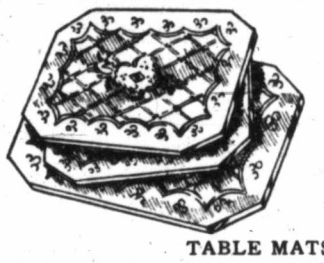
Pure Wool Blankets

White Pure Wool Blankets with a soft fleecy finish that makes them so desirable. A pair, according to quality, at

$8.95 $9.95 $10.95 $13.95 $15.00

Pure Wool Blankets in two-toned reversible effects—bound with satin ribbon to match. Each, **$5.98, $6.95** and **$7.95**

—Staple Dept.



Two Gifts for the Home

From Our Art Needlework Dept.

TABLE MATS

Embossed Silver Mats—washable and heatproof—three mats to set. Makes a decorative and useful gift for, a set **$1.00**

Cream Linen Table Runners, with hemstitched hem. Stamped in simple designs for embroidery that will only take a short while to finish up. Each..... **98¢**

—Needlework, 1st Floor

CHINAWARE

For a Well-Appointed Christmas Table!

If you're shopping 'round for attractive chinaware for your Christmas dinner table—or if you're looking for some charming little gifts—you'll do well to visit our China Department.

Sixteen-Piece Coffee Sets in Crown Ducal ware. Tulip design. Very attractive. At..... **$2.95**

Dinner Service for six people—a handsome gift for the family. 52 pieces, lovely decorations, and only **$14.95**

—Chinaware, Lower Main Floor

The Allover Tablecloth

Adds to the Splendor of Your CHRISTMAS DINNER!

Make this Christmas a really festive affair! Let your Christmas table be something to remember! The trend of fashion points towards allover lace as the correct thing for the table!

We have a wonderful showing of all the newest designs and stitches.

Size 54 x 54 inches, each..... **$3.50**
Size 70 x 90 inches, each, **$3.50, $3.95, $5.95** and **$10.75**
Size 90 x 100 inches, each, **$2.98, $4.95** and **$7.95**
Size 90 x 108 inches, each..... **$11.50** and **$11.95**

—Staples, Main Floor

ROASTERS!

Make Ready for Your Christmas Turkey —Now!

Blue Enamel Oval Covered Roasters. On sale at..... **$1.19**

Round Grey Enamel Roasters, covered. On sale at..... **$1.25**

Oval Grey Enamel Roasters, covered. At **$1.65** and..... **$1.90**

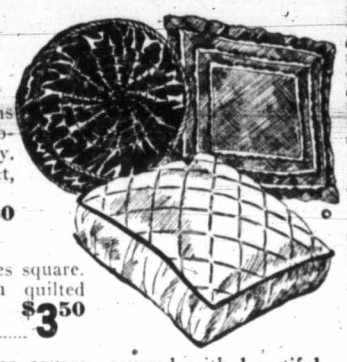
Oval Roasters, covered. Ivory and green enamel **$1.35**

Stainless Ivory and Green Enamel Roasters, oval shape and covered..... **$3.15** and **$3.60**
Round Aluminum Covered Roasters at **73¢** and **98¢**
Oval Aluminum Covered Roasters, **$1.48** to **$3.30**
Large Oblong Aluminum Covered Roasters with wire racks **$2.98**
Wear-Ever Aluminum Oblong Covered Roasters with aluminum rack. At **$4.49, $5.80** and..... **$6.60**
Round Black Sheet-Iron Covered Roasters..... **60¢** and ..... **70¢**
Oval Black Sheet-Iron Covered Roasters, **95¢, $1.10** and **$1.50**
Oblong Black Sheet-Iron Covered Roasters..... **90¢**
Aluminum Roast Pans, **95¢, $1.00** and **$1.33**
Enamel Roast Pans at **85¢** and..... **$1.15**
Black Sheet-Iron Roast Pans, **25¢, 35¢** and **45¢**

—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

CUSHIONS Of Finer Quality

In the Home Furnishing Dept.



Large-Size Cushions covered with Liberty silk tapestry. Very handsome! At, each **$5.00** and **$7.50**

Cushions—22 inches square. Plain colors with quilted centres. Each **$3.50**

Cushions—24 inches square—covered with beautiful Italian damask is black and gold. These are exceedingly rich looking! Each..... **$4.95**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor

6-Piece Bungalow Curtain Sets

Priced at, a Set..... $1.95

Bungalow Curtains of marquisette, trimmed with gingham. Top sash curtains, 1 yard 6 inches long, with bow tie backs. Lower sash curtains, one yard long, in tailored finish.

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BISSELLS CARPET SWEEPERS

Priced at, Each..... $4.95 to $6.95

A full range of Bissells Sweepers, including the new streamlined sweeper. Hi-Lo ball bearings.

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

Italian Velvet Table Covers and Runners

Add a Rich Note of Color to the Home!

Handsome Velvet Table Covers with silk fringes.

Size 57 x 105 inches. Each **$16.50**
Size 50 x 78 inches. Each **$12.50**
Size 33 x 33 inches. Each..... **$3.95**
Runners to match, size 13 x 48 inches. Each, **$2.50**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor

TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS, $1.95

Table Covers, 60 x 60 inches, in blue, red, gold and green.

Rayon Tapestry Runners, 12 x 36 inches..... **75¢**
Tapestry Table Runners, 12 x 48 inches..... **95¢**
Tapestry Table Runners, 12 x 60 inches..... **$1.45**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor

Reversible Wool Rugs

Best Quality. At..... $4.50 and $6.50

This Finest Quality Wool Rug is shown in latest colors and design. Makes an ideal gift for the home.

Size 25 x 48 inches..... **$4.50**
Size 30 x 60 inches, each..... **$6.50**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

Pastella Rugs

A Charming Bedroom Rug for..... $4.75

All-Wool Reversible Rugs in artistic pastel colorings. Size 25 x 48 inches.

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Kashmir-Numdah Rugs

In Rich Oriental Designs $10.50

Numdahs, size 4 x 6 feet, are shown with green, brown, black, camel and white ground colors and beautiful colored designs. Finest quality.

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